

THE WEATHER
Showers tonight and probably Friday; light east to south winds.

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60,000 MADE HOMELESS BY FIRE IN SALONKI

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The first detailed account of the disastrous fire at Salonki last Sunday is contained in a Reuters despatch from that city which says that 60,000 persons are homeless and that the property loss is enormous. Insurance companies are interested to the extent of £2,000,000 to £3,000,000.

The military rendered all possible aid but the scarcity of water made it almost useless to attempt to subdue the flames. Refugees are camping on the outskirts of the town. The destitute are being cared for by the military authorities, the British having 30,000 in their charge. Food and fresh water are very scarce.

The whole sea front from the customs house to the famous white tower, with its fine buildings, including the church of St. Dimitri and several other churches and mosques, was destroyed.

Three enemy airplanes flew over the city and dropped bombs while the city was burning.

AWARDS FRENCH WAR CROSS

PARIS, Aug. 23.—The French war cross has been awarded to the following members of the American ambulance corps: Sydney Fairbanks, Cambridge, Mass.; John Owen, London; Langford Allen, Littleton, N.Y.; Section 1, H. Parsons, New York; John G. Connor, Blois, France; Leslie Davidson, Quebec; G. E. G. Toms, St. Louis; R. A. Drake, Franklin, N.H.; Mr. Toms and Mr. Drake were awarded the cross for driving through a barrage of gas shells.

The condition of Price McQuillan, who lost a leg a fortnight ago and of W. S. Suterlin, who received seven shot wounds, has improved so greatly that they are being removed to the Blake hospital in Paris.

MAN STRUCK BY AUTO IS DEAD

Patrick Devine, aged 49 years and residing at 13 Hallowell street, Roxbury Crossing, Boston, died at 6.55 o'clock this morning at St. John's hospital as a result of injuries received when struck by an automobile in Wamsit early Tuesday evening.

Devine was admitted to the state infirmary at Tewksbury on September 15, 1915 and disappeared from there Monday night. On the following night he was walking along the road in the vicinity of Wamsit when he was struck by an automobile driven by Joseph George of Manchester, N.H. He was hurled to St. John's hospital in an unconscious condition. He failed to regain consciousness and passed away this morning.

The body was removed to the undertaker parlors of J. E. O'Donnell & Sons where it was identified as Patrick Devine by an official of the state infirmary.

JUSTICE RULES AGAINST REF- EEE'S REPORT FOR WIFE OF FORMER MAGISTRATE

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Supreme Court Justice Tompkins in a decision in New York yesterday refused to grant a decree of divorce to Florence W. Campbell from John A. L. Campbell because the court is "impressed with the fact that there was no collusion between the defendant and the plaintiff or some one acting for her." The defendant is said to have "staged" a scene with an "affinity."

Commenting on the testimony of a visit by the plaintiff's witnesses to an apartment on Seventy-third street, Manhattan, where Campbell was found with an alleged "affinity," the justice says he is satisfied the defendant expected them.

"The whole thing," concludes the court, "to say the least, is suspicious, and I will not confirm the referee's report."

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AUG. 22ND, OUR CANDY
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WILL BE ADVANCED TO
COVER THE INCREASED
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Challoux's
Ransack Sale
Tomorrow morning we start our great Semi-Annual Ransack Sale. All broken lots, odds and ends, accumulation of stocks, etc., will be offered at prices that bear no relation to profit but will mean much to patrons. Sale starts tomorrow morning. Come early and get your share of these worth while values.

EDWARDS ASSUMES COMMAND OF 26TH DIVISION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY

Lieut. S. R. Waller of Lowell Picked for Engineer Train Command

BOSTON, Aug. 23.—Major-Gen. Clarence R. Edwards yesterday assumed formal command of the 26th division of the United States army and relinquished command of the northeastern department.

Brig.-Gen. John A. Johnston, his successor in the latter post, is expected to arrive at the department headquarters in the Nottingham chambers this morning.

Gen. Edwards accepted his new appointment yesterday by telegram and took the oath of office here. The oath was administered by the judge advocate, Col. Massey.

The general's leave-taking from the officers of the department of the north-east, which took place yesterday morning on Copley green, between Trinity church, the Copley-Plaza hotel, and the public library, was an impressive ceremony. The general stood with his back toward the church shaking hands with 50 or more of his staff and the other officers of the department.

Upon the arrival of Gen. Johnston



LIEUT. SCHUYLER R. WALLER

Gen. Edwards will move from his present headquarters, those of the northeastern department, to the divisional headquarters of the 26th division, which for the present will be located in the same building, the Nottingham chambers, Huntington avenue and Bangs street.

The general's aides de camp in his new position, it was announced, will continue to be Capt. John W. Hyatt, Inf., D.O.L., and 1st Lieut. Nathaniel S. Simpkins, Jr., 1st Field Artillery.

The following divisional staff was also announced:

Chief of staff—Lieut.-Col. George H. Shelton, general staff.

Assistant chief of staff—Maj. A. A. Mitchell, general staff.

Adjutant—Lieut. Col. Geo. S. Simonds, Inf., N.A.

Inspector—Lieut. Col. Horace P. Healy, Inf., N.A.

Quartermaster—Lieut. Col. J. W. Beacham, Jr., 16th Inf.

Surgeon—Lieut. Col. James L. Boyce, Medical corps.

Judge Advocate—Lieut. Col. C. M. Dowell.

Chief Ordnance Officer—Maj. E. E. Phillips, D.

Chief Signal Officer—Maj. H. G. Chase, Signal corps, (Mass.).

Chief of Artillery—Brig. Gen. W. Lassiter, Field Artillery, N.A.

Chief of Engineers—Col. C. W. Bunell, Engineer corps, (Mass.).

In compliance with the telegraphic authority of the war department, dated Aug. 13, 1917, and in accordance with tables of organization published by that department, the 26th division has been organized in the following manner from the units of the New England National Guard:

Divisional Headquarters Troops—Capt. Wolcott, (Massachusetts).

101st Machine Gun Battalion—Maj. James L. Howard (Connecticut) commanding.

1st Brigade—Brig. Gen. Peter B. Traub commanding; 101st Infantry, Col. E. L. Logan of the 2nd Maine; 102nd Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 103rd Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 104th Infantry, Col. Wm. C. Hayes of the 2nd Massachusetts; 105th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 106th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 107th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 108th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 109th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 110th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 111th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 112th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 113th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 114th Infantry, Col. J. H. Sherburne of the 1st Massachusetts; 115th Infantry, Col. J. H. 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NIGHT PROWLER WOKE TOWN

Whistle on Tyng Box Shop
Blown Because of Man in
Factory

Vagrant Found and Ar-
rested—Other Cases in
Police Court

The screeching sound of the steam whistle on the plant of the Tyng Box Co. at Tyngsboro about 2 o'clock this morning awakened the sleepers in that place much before the time the alarm clock was set. The whistle is a har- binger of danger and as a general rule when its blast belches forth there is a fire, but there was no fire this morn- ing. The cause of the alarm was the finding of Frank H. Johnson prowling around the plant of the box company and owing to the fact that the watch- man who saw him could not gain access to the telephone and fearful that if he left the place while looking for an officer, something might hap- pen, he operated the steam whistle.

The sound of the whistle awakened practically every person in the town and many thinking that there was a fire in the neighborhood hastily donned the first garments they could grab. One of the first to arrive in the cen- ter was Officer William A. Connell, who, upon making inquiry, found the real cause of the alarm. Johnson, a young man, had previously worked in the box shop, and claiming that he had no place to stay last night, wen- dered into the works and was about to enter a room when he was discovered by the night watchman.

Inasmuch as the man had been seen at the plant on several previous oc- casions and his actions had given ap- plication, the officer immediately placed him under arrest and took him to the po- lice station.

In court this morning, Johnson ad- mitted that he had slept in the Tyng plant of different occasions, but denied that he ever went there with the in- tention of stealing. His attorney ad- mitted that he had been committed to the Massachusetts reformatory for vagran- cy. Inasmuch as the only complaint preferred against him was that of va- grancy, a fine of \$5 was imposed.

Cruelty to a Horse

Israel Bodwick of Methuen entered a plea of guilty to a complaint charg- ing him with cruelty to a horse. Charles F. Clark, one of those ever watchful officers of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, came across Bodwick two weeks ago today with a horse which was covered with sores and should have been killed. The horse was of- fered for auction and inasmuch as there were no bidders, Mr. Clark offered \$5 for the animal and it was knocked down to him. He immediately had the horse shot. The court found Bodwick guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$15.

Neglect of Children

Hennig Nelson has been neglecting his children for a long time according to testimony offered by the woman who is caring for them. He was ordered to pay \$3 a week for their care but owing to the fact that he was negli- gent in making payments the principal witness against him said that he was \$125 in arrears at the present time. Judge Enright found Nelson guilty and ordered him to pay \$5 a week for the support of his children and placed him on probation.

ADVISED NOT TO TAKE WIVES TO AYER

The question of securing accommo- dation for their wives and families in the vicinity of Ayer is a serious prob- lem for the married officers assigned to duty at Camp Devens. The new cantonment where the first increment of the local troops comprising the national army is to be trained.

There are practically no suitable houses for rent either in or near Ayer and Gen. Edwards is strongly of the opinion that officers assigned to duty at Camp Devens had much better not bring their wives and families.

"I cannot presume to act for the permanent commander of the camp— Gen. Hodges—but I do strongly ad- vise officers not to do this," said Gen. Edwards last evening.

"I should suggest," the general con- tinued, "that an occasional Sunday off to see the family is far wiser than the constant presence of relatives, who unconsciously distract an officer from the serious work which lies be- fore him at such a camp. It was manifest to me that the training candidates who took their wives and families to Plattsburg were seriously handicapped, and it seems reasonable to suppose that the same thing would prove true at Ayer, even if housing accommodations there were all that might be desired."

Gen. Edwards received a telegram last evening from Gen. Hodges, who is to command the cantonment at Ayer, expressing his thanks for the former's telegram of congratulation upon his appointment.

COURT SCORES SOLDIER WHO STRUCK GIRL

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Stephen Crowley, twenty-one, of No. 352 East Eighty-first street, a private of the Seventy-first New York Infantry, was scored by Magistrate Shams in Men's court last night when he pleaded guilty to striking Anna Senon, eighteen, of No. 353 East Eighty-first street, yesterday afternoon.

"You are a fine soldier," the court said sarcastically. "You no doubt will make a great defender of your country, going around slapping de- fenceless girls."

Crowley offered no explanation for his act. He was turned over to his commanding officer, Capt. Hodges, who said Crowley would be tried by the military authorities.

COAL IN PARIS

PARIS, Aug. 23.—The price of coal to be supplied under the coal card system, beginning early in September has been fixed at a 100 franc per ton for ordinary coal and 120 francs for anthracite. This scale is intended for coal purchased for private use. The price for coal for central heating sta- tions will be fixed later.

WILL COLLABORATE WITH REICHSTAG FACTIONS

BERLIN, via London, Aug. 23.—The liberal press points out as a signifi- cant feature of Tuesday's session of the main committee of the reichstag, the Chancellor Michaelis' statement that the government would not take final action on the papal peace note without consulting and advising with the com- mittee. This is being received as a pledge that the government henceforth intends to collaborate with the re- ligious factions in dealing with the chief problems of the nation's for- eign policy and that it would con- tinue to work in harmony with the committee in the direction of achiev- ing peace of reconciliation and mutual understanding.

The suggestion that a smaller sub- committee of the main committee be organized for the purpose of acting as confidential agent between the govern- ment and parliament is meeting with approval. It also is said to have the sanction of the chancellor. The smaller unit would enter into intimately confidential relations with the govern- ment for the purpose of suggestion and paying the way to general delib-

erations in the main committee's ex- ecutive session. Active champions of parliamentary reforms are inclined to look on the progress thus far recorded as giving promise of still greater headway in the desired direction, while the con- servative advocates of democratized relations between the government and the reichstag cite the modest advance as proof of their assertion that parli- amentary reorganization must be reached by easy stages and that the new point must be given opportunity to familiarize itself with German po- litical soil before it can take firm root. While the chancellor's informal statements and specific reference to the papal peace note are in keeping with expectations it is not unlikely that the vatican's message will prove the basis of an extended debate on

war aims during the committee's pres- ent sitting, at which the issues of parliamentary reforms are equally cer- tain to be discussed. The ultra-conservative and Pan-Ger- man press continue to view the papal note with suspicion and warn against offering the reichstag coalition par- ties an opportunity to influence the government's attitude. One of Tuesday's notable develop- ments was the official announcement that the national liberal party would join the coalition group in its de- liberations, although reserving to it- self the right to take an independent attitude on questions of the govern- ment's foreign policy. If you want quick returns try a classified ad in The Sun, Lowell's greatest newspaper.

BRITISH AIRMEN ATTACK SUBMARINE BASE

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The important submarine base of Zeebrugge and other military objectives in Belgium were at- tacked yesterday by British airmen, the admiralty announces. "Some hits," the statement adds, "were obtained. The Chistillek airdrome also was bombed. There were explosions near the western shed and a fire was started. All the machines returned.



MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
A Military model hat with rose chenille trimmings on navy satin and a pom pom of chenille. Obtainable in navy, black, brown, purple and taupe.
PRICED \$4.98

The Bon Marche

DRY GOODS CO.



MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
A Cute Hat for the lit- tle tots of fine quality veivetta. Has draped band around crown and two crushed primroses on side with velvet ornament to match. Colors black, brown and blue. PRICED
\$1.49

AUGUST CLEAN-UP SALE

Of Odd Garments One of a Kind and Small Lots To Be Closed Out Regardless of Cost Price

SUITS

A fine lot of Suits, many of them navy. You will not see values like these for a long time again; were \$25.00, \$29.00. SALE PRICE.....**\$10.00**

SILK SUITS

A grand clean-up of Silk Suits that sold for \$25.00, \$30.00, \$35.00. SALE PRICE.....**\$12.00**

SILK DRESSES

A grand clean-up of Silk Dresses that sold for \$25.00, \$22.50, \$29.50. SALE PRICE.....**\$14.95**



SKIRTS
Sport Skirts in Jersey cloth, novelty checks and smart styles, that were \$5.98. SALE PRICE.....**\$2.98**

PARTY DRESSES

A large assortment of Party Dresses, in pink, light blue, maize and nile, also fine Net Dresses; were \$15.00, \$18.00 to \$29.50. SALE PRICE.....**\$7.95**

SILK DRESSES

One fine lot of Dresses, most of them samples, one of a kind; were \$15.00, \$18.00. SALE PRICE.....**\$11.95**

WAIST OFFERINGS

The Latest in Waists



We have received big shipments of new Waists, the best New York styles, and we give you quality for your money.

Wash Skirts

At Big Reductions

Wash Skirts \$1.98
Fine Gabardine Skirts, smart styles, the same perfect fitting skirt as our finest skirts; were \$2.98, \$3.98.
SALE PRICE
\$1.98

Wash Skirts \$2.50
The choice of the House Wash Skirts; were \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00. Come early.
SALE PRICE
\$2.50

WASH SKIRTS 59c
100 Wash Skirts that sold for \$1.00, \$1.39. Sale Price

OUR BIG LINE OF Sweaters



The talk of the town—New Silk, New Angora, New Shodland, New Link and Link, in Rose, Copen, Hague Blue, Lobster Red, Salmon, Corn, Navy, Forest Green and Olive, in fact if you want the best in town come here. SWEATERS at
5.98, 6.98, 7.98, 8.98, 9.98, 12.98, 14.98

SMALLWARE SPECIALS

Make your children's Petticoats in 15 minutes by buying the new Adjustable Waists. Priced.....15c and 19c

Shopping Bags, regular 65c value.....49c
Children's School Bags, 35c value.....25c
Common Pins, 3c paper value.....3 for 5c
Willmatic Spool Cotton, 20-yard spool, 5c value, 6 for 25c
Fancy Buttons, 10c to 25c card values.....3c Card
White Tape, value 5c roll.....2 for 5c
Brass Safety Pins, all sizes, 10c value.....7c Card


Notion Dept. is Now Located in Main Aisle, Opp. Ribbon Dept.
STREET FLOOR

HARMLESS HAIR REMOVER

"VAN-Q" is Harmless and will remove superfluous hair from any part of the body. It is so simple and easy to use that anyone can apply it with perfect satisfaction. The de- sired results are obtained almost instantly. "VAN-Q" takes its name from the fact that it makes all superfluous hair VANISH QUICK. A package will convince the most skeptical. It leaves the skin soft, fair and smooth.

Try a **25c** Package
On Sale at Our Toilet Goods Dept.

The Most Complete Line of Fine Undermuslins in Lowell



Our \$15,000 worth of High Grade Undermuslins bought before the big advance and sold at the old prices. Compare our values.
25c, 49c, 98c, \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98 up to \$15.00

TOILET GOODS SPECIALS

Rouge, value 25c box. Priced.....10c
4-Piece Manicure Sets, 25c value. Priced.....15c
"Ilene" Cap Nets, 12c value. Priced.....3 for 25c
Williams' Liquid Shampoo, 25c value. Priced.....19c
"Ilene" Toilet Water, 50c bottle. Priced.....39c
Flodora Perfume Bags in six dainty odors, 25c value. Priced.....19c
"Ilene" Peroxide Tooth Paste, 25c value. Priced.....19c
Bathing Caps, all colors, 50c and 60c values. Priced....49c

STREET FLOOR

DRAPERY DEPT. SPECIAL

MANUFACTURER'S CLOSE OUT OF FINE SCOTCH LACE CURTAINS

Made by the Famous "Columbia Mills"

THEY ARE READY-TO-HANG CURTAINS

Woven with artistic headings and loops for the curtain rod. The heading is pleasing and effective and does away with the bunched effect of curtains other than Ready-to-Hang. Just insert rod and curtain drapes itself. All new Fall styles including very fine fllet lices, renaissance borders, Swiss Brussels and the neat Tam- boire patterns. 200 pairs in the lot in white only. Reduced to 1-3 to 1-2 regular prices. 2 1-2 yards long, 36 to 54 inches wide.

PRICED **\$1.50 to \$4.98**
SECOND FLOOR

OFFERINGS FROM OUR RIBBON SECTION

FREE instructions given in our Ribbon Dept. We will gladly show you how to make the latest ribbon novelties, also pin ready for making men's ties.

Persian Ribbon, 6 1/2 to 7 inches wide. Special for the new street bags and trimmings. Extra value at.....39c, 49c and 59c Yard

Persian Ribbons, 7 1/2 to 8 inches wide, in the new fall patterns, for men's neckwear and fancy bags. Extra value at 89c and 98c Yard

Fancy and Plain Ribbon, No. 2 to No. 9, in new combinations, for the new sweater hangers and neck bands. Extra value at 10c to 39c Yard

Hairbow Novelty Ribbons in checks, plaids and stripes, heavy quality. Extra value at 39c to 89c Yard

Black Velvet Satin Back Ribbon, No. 1 to No. 60, for wrist watch bands and fancy girdles. Extra value at.....6c to \$1.69 Yard

Hairbow Ribbon Novelties, checks, stripes, moire and plain colors, in the wanted shades. Extra heavy quality. Priced.....25c Yard

Paisley Ribbon, 7 1/2 inches wide. Special for men's ties. Extra value at.....98c Yard

Sweater Hangers (something new) to keep your sweater in shape. Priced 75c

RUSSIANS HEAR THAT U. S. WON'T FIGHT

This is another of the series of articles by Charles Edward Russell, staff writer for The Sun, who has just returned from Russia, where he spent three months as a member of the official United States commission to the new Russian government.

BY CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL
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"The people of the United States are not in favor of this war."

"The government of the United States is controlled absolutely by the munition makers. For the sake of profits the munition makers wanted the United States to go into the war. That is the only reason why the United States is in it."

"The people of the United States are utterly opposed to the war and wish to make peace at once. They are about to overthrow their government. Then they will make peace with Germany and the war everywhere will come to an end."

"The other day in the United States senate a resolution was introduced for peace. You see—I told you. I know what the people of America think. I am an American myself and I know they are dead against this war."

These are a few samples of the stuff which is being poured into the ears of the Russians by a thousand professional trouble-makers, anarchists and like, returned from America with American passports in their pockets to win the situation for Germany.

This sort of stuff and worse.

Sometimes they tell the Russians that conditions in the United States are far more intolerable than they ever were in Russia under the czars, that the people are more oppressed and more miserable, that whatever else the Russians do with their freedom they must be on their guard against establishing any government in the least like that of the United States.

"The United States has ruined Cuba

and Mexico," they say. "It has enslaved its own people. It has now sent commissions over here to prepare the way to enslave you. Above everything else, be on your guard against American. I know what it is. I am an American myself. Look at my American passport."

The United States will never do any fighting in this war. Do not be deceived. The United States is only bluffing. It doesn't intend to fight. The munition makers only want some fat orders for guns and things and then the United States will make peace with Germany. That is why you ought to do it. If you don't want to get left now is the time to make peace. What do you want to fight for? England and France are all in and the United States is only fooling you. Everybody knows that in the United States. I just came from there. I am an American. I know."

The great Field of Mars, the ancient parade ground, Petrograd, is the forum and huge debating school of the new democracy. Every Sunday you can see there 200,000 or 300,000 people in groups around a speaker. Listening to oratory. Oratory is the Russian national game.

These agents of mischief, recently returned from America, run from meeting to meeting, reiterating the lies I have quoted above.

There is no chance to deny that they do an infinity of harm. The German propaganda in the United States and Germany, which directs their efforts, judged with perfect accuracy of the harm they could do. Nothing better for the Kaiser has been done since the war began.

They undermine faith. They destroy courage. They make many Russians believe that the United States is about to seek peace and Russia therefore will be left fighting, hopelessly alone. It was this treacherous activity, combined with the pre-arranged mutiny of German agents in the ranks, that caused the recent slump in the Russian line in Galicia. Direct cause and direct effect.

But take good heed of the next point in this black record. Everything that happens in the United States can be used as material by these back-faggers gets promptly over there.

Every time a plausible, cleverly named pro-German organization, like a peace convention the fact gets to the

Field of Mars, and is used to show that the people of the United States are opposed to the war.

Every time a senator or representative introduces a disloyal resolution, news of it flies without delay to the huge German machine that is working ceaselessly in Russia to break down the spirit of the Russian people and cause them to lay down their arms.

Every time a senator undertakes to hamstring his government by introducing legislation casting discredit on the motives of America or endorsing this clever German maneuver or that, the news goes swiftly to Petrograd and the stony creature that do Germany's work on the Field of Mars chuckle and are glad.

They have been provided with a fine fresh lot of ammunition.

The machinery to get it quickly to Russia is so arranged that it appears in the senate must have been set up long ago.

There is no question that it is wonderfully alert, active and efficient.

Germany's desperate need was that Russia should not be victorious in the war. Germany must therefore nullify the effect of the commission's visit, and there was the way to do it.

All these things show very plainly the existence in this country of a non-help to whiten, clear, smoothen and beautify.

Any druggist will supply three ounces of orchard wit at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons. In this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion ladies can easily prepare and have an expensive toilet aid which perfectly satisfies their natural desire for a beautiful soft skin.

What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to bleach the skin and to bring out the roses; the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard wit this way. Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of bottle containing white shake well and orchard wit. You have a whole quart of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp goes into the bottle, then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months.

When applied daily it naturally should arms and hands it naturally should help to whiten, clear, smoothen and beautify.

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How to wash your white sweater

Whisk the Lux flakes to a lather in very hot water. Let your sweater soak until the water is comfortable for the hands. Work it about in the suds, do not rub. Rinse in three waters just comfortable for the hands. Dissolve a little Lux in the last rinsing water. Spread on a bath towel and dry in the sun.

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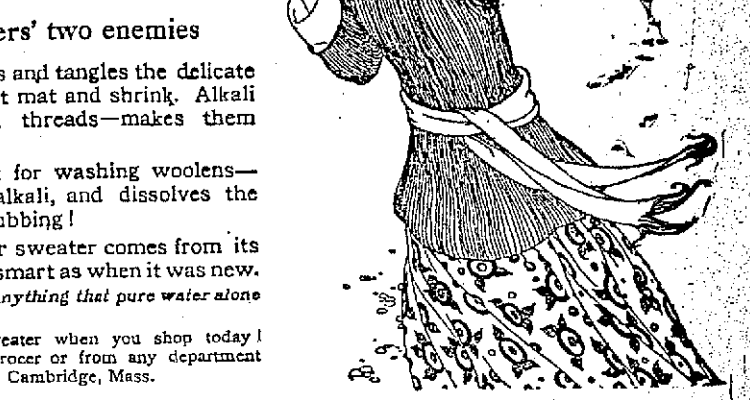
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If you have not washed it before, soak for a few minutes in a solution of one cup of salt to one gallon of water—to set the color.

Make the lather in very hot water, but add cold water till comfortable for the hands before putting in your sweater. Continue as with a white sweater, only dry in the shade instead of in the sun.

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MORE YOUNG MEN ON ROLL OF HONOR

"We are both on the draft list," said Edward F. Quinn of 13 Lagrange court to his brother, Daniel, of the same address, and even though both of us are called on we will have to remain at home to care for mother. Now we both agreed that the one who should first be called for examination would waive exemption and serve Uncle Sam, while the other when his turn came would claim exemption on the grounds of having a dependent mother." This was before the serial numbers were given out.

Yesterday afternoon Edward F. was summoned to appear before the exemption board of division two at city hall and he successfully passed the physical test. When asked if he had any grounds for claim of exemption he replied in the negative, and informed the board that if his brother Daniel is called he will claim exemption, for one of the boys has to remain at home to care for the mother. Daniel has not yet been called and it is probable his number will not be reached in this quota.

Another case worthy of special mention was called to the attention of the exemption board of division two this morning when Joseph A. Hearn, 25 years, of 16 Leroy street, was called for examination. Joseph passed the physical test with flying colors and he firmly announced that he waived exemption and his name was placed on the roll of honor beside that of his brother, Hugh, of 10 Marshall street, who yesterday afternoon was found eligible to serve Uncle Sam in the national army, and did not claim exemption. The two brothers hope to be assigned to the same company.

The physician of the board examined 16 men this forenoon and of that number thirty successfully passed the physical test. Of the seven who were rejected four were for underweight and three for defective vision. Of the nine accepted four waived exemption and one, V. Francis Barrett, 22 years, of 74 Bellevue, a school teacher, informed the board he will file an exemption claim on occupational grounds with the federal appeal board. Those whose names were placed on the roll of honor were:

Clarence Douglas Parker, 29 years, 16 Loring street.
Charles Watson, 24 years, 20 Arkwright street.
Joseph A. Hearn, 25 years, 16 Leroy street.
The others who successfully passed the test and who claimed exemption on the grounds of dependents are as follows:
William Cloutier, 22 years, 509 Merrimack street.
Henry Joseph Cagne, 25 years, 53 Royal street.

Ira W. Goldthwait, 29 years, 1 Barton avenue.
Alfred L. LeCuyer, 30 years, 11 Marshall street.
At yesterday afternoon's session of the board two more recruits were added to the roll of the national army, as follows:
Hugh Ahearn, 24 years, 49 Marginal street.
Edward F. Quinn, 23 years, 13 Lagrange street.

Those who successfully passed the physical test and who claimed exemption on the grounds of having dependents were:
George D. Andreopoulos, 29 years, 69 Prince street.
George Blacheros, 29 years, 444 Market street.
Henry G. Patrie, 29 years, 10 Ivy street.
Ernest R. Thibault, 26 years, 21 Hillside street.

Division Four
Among the men who were examined for the national army by the exemption board of division four, Greenhalge school, this morning, was Robert E. Means, who successfully passed the physical test, but who claimed exemption on the grounds of having dependents. Mr. Means was formerly a private in the Sixth Infantry, M.N.G., but was recently given an honorable discharge on account of having dependents. Included in this morning's list was also Leroy S. Draper, of 23 L street, who has a wife and child, but who waived exemption.

Twenty-five men had been summoned to appear before the board this morning and of this number 22 reported. Nineteen were examined by the physician and of that number 10 successfully passed the physical test, five claiming exemption on the grounds of dependents.

The five whose names were placed on the roll of honor were as follows:
Henry S. O'Brien, 27 years, 3 L street.
Leroy S. Draper, 20 years, 23 L street.
Frank Ginakki, 25 years, 1 McGovern's court.
Dennis Callahan, 26 years, 2 Manning place.
Theophile Roy, 23 years, 538 Moody street.

Those who claimed exemption were:
Robert E. Means, 29 years, 33 West Fifth street.
George Paquette, 26 years, 179 Euclid street.
Joseph A. Tierney, 27 years, 36 West L street.
Orel Hamel, 24 years, 473 Moody street.
Edward F. Carrigan, 28 years, 151 Lakeview avenue.

Despite the fact that about 25 men were examined yesterday afternoon, the board failed to make a single addition to the number already gotten for the

FINAL REDUCTIONS

A GRAND CLEAN-UP BEFORE WE TAKE STOCK
NEXT WEEK. NOT A QUESTION OF PRICE. THE GARMENTS MUST BE SOLD

Cotton Dresses

The high grade Dresses
all at one price, must

be sold in 2 days... **\$4.40**

See the New Serge Dresses at Special Prices

72 Silk Dresses

Taffeta and Silk Poplin.
Selling to \$18.75

Choice **\$9.85**

CHERRY & WEBB

12-18 JOHN ST.

Choice of the WASH SUITS

Linen and Palm Beach, sizes to 44, sold to \$13.50.

Choice **\$5.40**

75 NEW WASH SKIRTS

Selling to \$4.00.

Choice **\$1.87**

40 CLOTH COATS

In our Basement, sold to \$12.

Choice **\$4.90**

72 FIBRE SILK SWEATERS

Maker's loss, sold at \$8.00.

Choice **\$5.00**

25 SOILED DRESSES

Evening Dresses in lot, selling to \$12.00.

Choice **\$3.90**

30 DOZEN CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES

Choice **79c**

\$1.50 value.

CHOICE OF ALL SUITS \$15.00 | CHOICE OF ALL COATS \$12.75

Hundreds of Bargains In Our Basement Store

\$1.00 Kimonos 79c

\$1.00 Wash Skirts 45c

50c Aprons 39c

\$1.50 Smocks 89c

\$2.00 Voile Waists \$1.27

\$8.00 SILK DRESSES.....\$6.47

68 Raincoats at clear-away prices, sold to \$15.00

\$3.98, \$5, \$6.98 and \$8

AUGUST FUR SALE, 33 PER CENT. SAVING

COME IN AND LOOK AROUND—THE PRICES SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

National Army. Two men were found

physically qualified, but filed exemption claims on the grounds of dependents. The two men were:

Hormidas Heroux, 246 Chever street.
Joseph A. Souland, 233 West Sixth street.

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K. OF C. HONOR PAST CHAPLAIN

Large Party Went in Autos to Visit Rev. W. George Mullin

Pleasant Outing Enjoyed at Manchester-by-the-Sea by the Members

About 125 members of the local council of the Knights of Columbus left Lowell shortly after noon today and made the journey by auto to Manchester-by-the-Sea where they

attended the funeral of Rev. W. George Mullin. The party was very pleasant and the members enjoyed the trip very much.

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Donnelly, Superintendent of Schools

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The committee in charge of arrangements for today's affair are as follows: Grand Knight Robert R. Thomas, Deputy Grand Knight Charles J. Dandery, Past Grand Knight Andrew Molloy and Lecturer Walter H. Hickey.

PHOTO WITH PASSPORTS

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 23.—Under a regulation promulgated today, passports signed by Swedish diplomatic or consular officials, with photographs attached, will be required after Sept. 1 for entrance into Sweden.

DOUBLE HEADER CALLED OFF

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 22.—(Eastern)—Springfield-NewHaven double header, called off, on account of rain.

FUNERAL NOTICES

LORD—The funeral of Arthur Lord will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 215 Lincoln street. Funeral lunch mass will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. The burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

DOYLE—The funeral of James E. Doyle will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral home of Higgins Bros., Lawrence street. A funeral mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

OSGOOD—Died in this city, Aug. 22, at the Chelsea street hospital, Mr. Horace Osgood, aged 76 years, a member of the G.A.R. Funeral services will be held from the funeral home of Higgins Bros., Lawrence street, at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

FANNING—The funeral of the late Patrick J. Fanning will take place on Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral home of Higgins Bros., Lawrence street. A funeral mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

SASSVILLE—Mrs. Phyllis M. Sassville, aged 74 years, died Aug. 21 at the Chelsea street hospital. She leaves a son, Alfred, Jr. The body was removed to the home of Undertakers Amador Archambault & Sons, Merrimack street.

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DEATHS

DANDROWSKI—Anniella Dandrowski, aged 12 years, died Aug. 21 at her home, 298 Alder street.

VIENNA—Edwin Vienna died this morning at the home of his parents, Manuel and Rose Vienna, 14 Swift st., aged 10 months.

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LORD—Arthur Lord, aged 35 years, died yesterday at St. John's hospital as a result of an accident. He leaves a wife, Catherine, three daughters, Evelyn, Gertrude and Esther; one son, Leon Lord; his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Lord; two sisters, Mrs. J. J. Flaherty and Mrs. Edward Hill of Dorchester, and four brothers, Louis, Philip and Ralph of this city, and Omer Lord of Canada. He was a member of the Lowell Order of Moose. The body was removed to the home, 215 Lincoln street by Undertakers Higgins Bros.

BAILEY—The funeral of Catherine Bailey took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 30 Pleasant street. The funeral mass will be celebrated in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

LEBLANC—The funeral of Joseph LeBlanc, son of Leon and Rose LeBlanc, took place yesterday from the home of his parents in West Billerica.

NOTICE

On and after Sept. 1st the initiation fee for Local 285, Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers, International Alliance, will be \$10.

E. HENNINGER, Secy, 49 Third St.

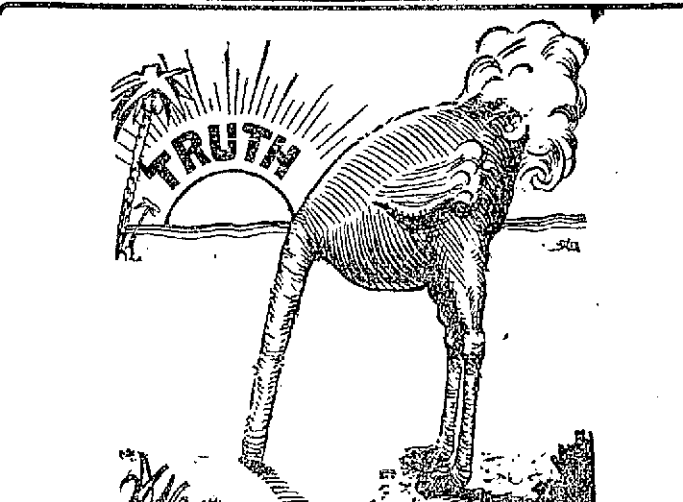
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Made of galvanized ware. Cannot overflow. Easy to empty.

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Single Bottles.....10c
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Case, 2 Dozen.....\$1.60

VEGETABLES

11th SEMI-ANNUAL RANSACK SALE

Friday, Saturday and Monday, Aug. 24th, 25th and 27th

We want to make this great Ransack Sale an occasion of real value to our patrons and to ourselves, by giving very low prices on merchandise that we must clean up at once. All broken lots, odds and ends, accumulations of stocks, etc., will be offered at prices that bear no relation to profit but will mean much to patrons. It has been our policy ever since we started in business never to carry any goods over from one season to another, so consequently we shall conform to our usual custom of a complete clearance at the season's end and begin our Ransack Sale tomorrow morning. The following are some of the items offered:

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' SHOES

Women's Pumps, made of gun metal and patent leather, plain style with Louis Cuban heels and insole strap with low heels, made on broad last. Sizes 2-12 to 6. Ransack Sale\$1.57

Odd Lot of Women's Pumps, Oxford and Colonial. Made up in black and patent leathers. A good assortment of styles and sizes to choose from; regular \$2.00 and \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale\$1.39

Women's Outing Oxfords, made of soft tan leather, blucher style, last "back to nature" last, all good year weils; sizes 2 to 7; \$3.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.47

A small lot of Women's Tan Summer Shoes, lace and buttoned oxfords, plain strap pumps and colonial; some have cloth quarters and some have rubber soles; low and high heels; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39

Women's White Buck Pumps and Colonial with large buckle, Louis Cuban covered heels, Goodyear welts; regular \$2.00 and \$3 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59

Odd lot of Women's White Shoes, made of canvas and poplin, high lace and buttoned, also plain and strap pumps in this lot; value up to \$2.50. Ransack Sale\$1.37

Women's Summer Shoes, made of colored kid, champagne, putty, sand, bronze and grey, pumps and colonial style, leather and covered heels; a good assortment of styles, sizes 2-12 to 7; values to \$3.00. Ransack Sale\$1.79

Women's White Summer Shoes, slightly counter soled; poplin and Sea Island duck pumps, oxfords and colonial. Ransack Sale\$1.67

Women's Shoes, high buttoned style, black and blue velvet with medium Cuban heels, sizes 2-12 to 6; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale\$1.29

Women's Sall Pumps for party or street wear; black, white and some colors; mostly plain style with covered heels, sizes 2-12 to 8. Ransack Sale \$1.89

Odds and Ends of Women's High Grade Pumps and Oxfords, made of gun metal and patent leathers with cloth quarters that have been dyed black; mostly narrow widths. Ransack Sale\$1.59

Women's House Shoes, factory damaged, lace oxfords and Juliet style; plain toes with rubber heels. Ransack Sale\$1.15

Girls' Shoes, high lace and buttoned, made of vici kid and gun metal with heavy soles; sizes 8-12 to 2; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale\$1.29

Girls' \$1.50 White Canvas Shoes, extra high lace, made on broad last with painted soles and heels; sizes 8-12 to 2. Ransack Sale\$1.15

Girls' \$1.00 White Canvas Shoes, high buttoned style made on nature shape last with white soles; sizes 8-12 to 2. Ransack Sale\$1.15

Children's Pumps, made of plain and patent leather; Mary Jane style with ankle strap and ribbon bow; sizes 6 to 11. Ransack Sale\$1.79

Children's \$1.50 White Backskin Shoes, high lace style with nature shape last and durable soles; sizes 8 to 11. Ransack Sale\$1.19

Children's \$1.00 Barefoot Sandals, made of tan leather; broad last and stitched soles; sizes 6 to 11. Ransack Sale\$1.19

Odd Lots of Girls' Piny Shoes and Pumps, made of black and tan leather, lace and strap styles; sizes up to 13. Ransack Sale 29c

Babies' Soft Sole Shoes, button and lace, black, white and tan; sizes 6 to 4. Ransack Sale19c

HOUSE DRESSES

New Fancy Stripe Aprons with large bibs, made of good percale; regular 29c value. Ransack Sale19c

All Over Aprons, in good sizes, light and dark colors; regular 45c value. Ransack Sale39c

All Our 95c House Dresses, in gingham, chambray, muslin and percale. Ransack Sale79c

Elastic Belt Aprons, of fine percale, in blue, pink, lavender. Trimmed tastefully. Ransack Sale63c

Afternoon Dresses, in lavender, blue, green and fancy patterns. Some 18th Century style; regular \$1.69 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Heatherbloom Petticoats, in plain blue, black, green and mustard; also black and blue floral designs; regular \$1.93 value. Ransack Sale\$1.39

NECKWEAR DEPT.

An Odd Lot of Collars, square back, lace trimmed; regular 15c value. Ransack Sale5c

Embroidered Trench Shape Collar and Cuff Sets; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale16c

Satin Hemstitched Windsor Ties in all the newest shades; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale37c

Auto Caps in blue, rose, tan, green and navy; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale39c

Novelty Bows and Ties, slightly soiled; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale9c

Georgette Crepe Vests with round or square collar; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Large Square Chiffon Auto Veils, in all shades; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale79c

SMALLWARES

Collar Foundations, black and white. Ransack Sale1c Each

Pearl Buttons, small and medium sizes. Ransack Sale3 Cents 5c

Geneva and Kerr's 500 Yard Spools Cotton, all numbers, black and white. Ransack Sale 15c Spool

Japanese Hair Pins, best quality. Ransack Sale2 for 1c

Black Skirt Belting, 1 1/2 and 2 inch. Ransack Sale5c Yard

Misses' and Children's Garters, black and white, all sizes. Ransack Sale8c Pair

Colored Fancy Edging for trimmings, assorted colors. Ransack Sale9c

Guaranteed Dress Shields, medium and large sizes. Sale Price 7c Pair

Hooks and Eyes, black and white, all sizes. Ransack Sale, 3 Cards for 10c

Remnant Spool Cotton, full 200 yards, all sizes. Ransack Sale, 6 for 11c

HOUSEWARES

"Helsey" Footed Glass Punch Bowls; regular \$3.50 value. Ransack Sale\$2.00

"Fuel Saver" Gas Stoves, top holds five utensils on one burner. Ransack Sale\$1.00

Gas Irons, complete with tubing; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale\$1.29

"New Era" Metal Hot Water Bottles; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale98c

Mrs. Potts' Irons, aluminum tops; regular value \$1.00 a set. Ransack Sale69c

Aero Ice Cream Freezers; regular 98c value. Ransack Sale79c

Non-Absorbent Bread Boards; regular 49c value. Ransack Sale25c

Dennison's Lunch Sets; regular 60c value. Ransack Sale25c

Washing Machines, with water motor; regular \$15.00 value. Ransack Sale\$10.00

Japanese Incense Burner; regular 19c value. Ransack Sale10c

Indoor Clothes Line Reels. Ransack Sale\$2.25

GLOVE DEPT.

Women's Lightweight Fabric Gloves in white, 2 clasp. Ransack Sale25c

Women's Imported Lamb Skin Gloves with 3 rows black embroidery; 2 clasp; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale\$1.15

Women's Doe Skin Gloves in white, with 3 rows self-embroidered, all sizes. Ransack Sale\$1.00

SHOE DEPT.

Women's Pumps, made patent calf, gun metal calf, bronze, champagne, grey kid, black and tan oxford; Louis Cuban heels; regular \$3 value. Ransack Sale \$1.65

Women's Trot Moc Oxfords, made from Indian tanned moose leather; regular \$3.50 value. Ransack Sale\$2.45

Women's Bathing Shoes in pump and oxford style; regular 50c and 65c value. Ransack Sale 19c and 39c

Women's Black and Tan Rubber Sole Oxfords, Goodyear welts; regular prices \$3.00 and \$3.50. Ransack Sale\$1.45

MILLINERY DEPT.

White Untrimmed Straw Hats; regular \$4.50 value. Ransack Sale69c

Untrimmed Colored Straw Hats; regular \$3.98 value. Ransack Sale69c

Trimmed Colored and Black Hats; regular \$5.00 value. Ransack Sale\$1.89

Flowers; regular 45c value. Ransack Sale19c

CLOAK and SUIT SECTION

Serge Dress Skirts, choice of black or navy, all this season's styles, extra sizes included; regular \$3.98 and \$4.98 value. Ransack Sale\$2.69

Fancy Summer Skirts in plain colors and fancy figured patterns, silk, mercerized, satin and taffeta; regular \$4.98 value. Ransack Sale\$1.89

One Piece Jersey Bathing Suits, neck, armholes and bottom of skirt trimmed with wide braid. Ransack Sale\$1.79

All this season's best styles in Serge Coats and Dresses, also Silk Poplin Dresses, not many of each style but all sizes in the lot; values from \$3.93 to \$10.95. Ransack Sale\$4.69

WAIST DEPT.

White Middy Blouses and Colored Smocks; regular value \$1.00. Ransack Sale59c

Black Batiste Waists, extra large size; regular value \$1.25. Ransack Sale99c

White and Colored Silk Waists and White Smocks; values up to \$3. Ransack Sale\$1.39

White and Colored Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe Waists; values up to \$4.00. Ransack Sale\$2.79

Women's Fibre Silk and All Wool Sweater Coats; regular value \$5.00. Ransack Sale\$2.98

INFANTS' DEPT.

Children's New Gingham Dresses, just the thing for school, made Empire style with white collars and pockets, trimmed with white; sizes 6 to 14 years; regular \$1.98 value. Ransack Sale \$1.49

Children's Gingham Dresses, some plaids and some plain colors, sizes 6 to 14 years; regular 98c value. Ransack Sale65c

Children's Dresses of Amoskeag Gingham, white and others with dark collars; sizes 6 to 14 years; regular 79c value. Ransack Sale45c

Children's All Wool Sweaters, white with pink, blue, rose or copper collars and wash; regular \$2.49 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39

Children's All Silk Vests, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years; regular 98c value. Ransack Sale49c

Infants' Long or Short Dresses, made of good nainsook, trimmed with embroidery or lace; regular 98c value. Ransack Sale75c

Infants' Long Coats of Bedford Cord with cape collar, trimmed with braid; regular 98c value. Ransack Sale49c

DRAPERY DEPT.

Waste Paper Baskets; regular 75c value. Ransack Sale25c

1500 yds. Scrim Remnants in short lengths of from 2 to 6 yds; regular 15c to 25c value. Ransack Sale8c Yd.

36x72 Crex Rugs; regular \$2.25 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29 Each

HANDKERCHIEFS

Men's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Ransack Sale6c

Women's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, assorted styles. Ransack Sale3 for 25c

Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, all styles. Ransack Sale7c

Women's Plain Linen Handkerchiefs. Ransack Sale10c

Men's Colored Border Handkerchiefs. Ransack Sale4c

CORSET DEPT.

Corsets. Sizes 18 to 30. Ransack Sale58c Pr.

Corsets, (broken sizes); values up to \$3.00. Ransack Sale \$1.89 Pr.

Corsets (broken sizes); values up to \$1.50. Ransack Sale\$1.19

Brassieres, (broken sizes); values up to 50c. Ransack Sale39c

Brassieres, (sizes 34 to 44); values 25c. Ransack Sale19c

TOILET GOODS

El Rado for Superfluous Hair; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale67c

Tourists' Cases; regular 70c value. Ransack Sale49c

Sanitol Talcum; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale15c

Lakeside Lily Extract; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

Honey-moon Talcum; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale15c

Sunbeam Violet; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

Vaniline's Cold Cream in tubes; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale15c

Smelling Salts; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

Blair's Milkweed Lotion; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale15c

Smelling Salts; regular 35c value. Ransack Sale17c

Meiba Skin Lotion; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale13c

Palm Olive Shaving Sticks; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale13c

Martin's Peroxide Vanishing Cream; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale17c

Nail Sticks in celluloid cases; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale13c

Racarna Tooth Paste; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale13c

Bath Salts, odors of rose and coriander; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

Emery Boards, 2 packages for 5c

Lustr It's Face Powder; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale10c

Twilight Lily Extract; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

RIBBON DEPT.

Large Assortment of Manufacturers' Samples of Ribbon, including satins, taffetas, moires and Dresdines, suitable for hair bows, sashes and bags; regular values up to 39c. Ransack Sale17c

Satin and other ribbons, 15 to 2 inches wide; regular 8c value. Ransack Sale3c

Elastic and Grosgrain Rib Bands; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale12 1/2c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR

Women's American Hosiery Vests in Swiss rib and silk lisle, low neck, no sleeves, lace band top; regular 50c and 69c value. Ransack Sale Price50c

Women's American Hosiery Union Suits in silk lisle and silkoline, low neck, no sleeves, in light and loose knit, all sizes; regular \$1.25 and \$1.49 value. Ransack Sale\$1.00

Women's Lisle Union Suits in low neck, no sleeves, lace and tight knee; regular 69c and 79c value. Ransack Sale50c

Women's Vests in lisle, low neck, no sleeves, sizes 5 and 6. Ransack Sale12 1/2c

DOMESTICS

Mercerized Nankins, size 20x20. Good patterns; regular 15c value. Ransack Sale9c

Bureau Scarfs, with insertion and blue edge; regular 39c value. Ransack Sale25c

Turkish Towels, with blue or gold borders; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale39c

HOSIERY DEPT.

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, high spliced heel, double sole and 6-inch garter top of lisle, in sky blue only; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale50c

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, in bronze only; all sizes; regular 23c value. Ransack Sale29c

Women's "Outsize" Split Foot Hose, full fashioned, sizes 5 1/2 and 9 only; regular 29c value. Ransack Sale17c; 3 for 50c

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, in novelties, including white with black stripes. Seconds, 50c quality. Ransack Sale29c Pair, 4 Pairs for \$1.00

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, in black, medium gray, pearl, bronze and champagne. Seconds of 85c quality. Imperfections very slight. Ransack Sale17c, 3 Pairs for 50c

Misses' Silk Lisle Hose, very fine rib in pink, and sky blue; regular 29c value. Ransack Sale10c Pr., or 3 Pairs for 25c

Balance of our Children's Socks, in plain and fancy rolled top, counter soled; regular 25c value. Ransack Sale12 1/2c Pr.

Odd Lot of Children's Hose, small sizes only, in black and white; regular 15c value. Ransack Sale10c Pr., 3 Pairs for 25c

UNDERMENS

Corset Covers, lace and hankburg trimmed, counter soled; regular value 50c. Ransack Sale 29c

Envelope Chemise and Long White Petticoats; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale57c

White and Pink Silk Envelope Chemises; regular value \$1.50. Ransack Sale89c

Women's One-piece Crepe Pajamas, daintily trimmed; regular value \$1.50. Ransack Sale70c

Combinations, Envelope Chemises and Night Gowns, counter soled; values to \$2.00. Ransack Sale 89c

JEWELRY DEPT.

Women's Fancy Hair Brooches; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

Women's Coin Purses in gun metal; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale25c

Women's Ear Rings in fancy designs; regular 25c quality. Ransack Sale19c

Women's and Children's Gold Rings, large assortment to choose from. Ransack Sale35c

Women's Beauty Baby Pins in gold or silver; regular 50c value. Ransack Sale35c

Women's Watch Pins in solid gold with safety clasp; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale\$1.00

Women's Watch Pins in gold; regular \$1 value. Ransack Sale 69c

Women's and Children's Gold Crosses; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale\$1.00

Gold Pendants; regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Men's Gold Cuff Buttons in different styles; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale\$1.00

BASEMENT READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Children's Drawers, made of good cotton, sizes 2 to 13 years. Ransack Sale9c

Women's Night Gowns, Long White Petticoats and Corset Covers, lace and hankburg trimmed. Ransack Sale25c

Children's Gingham Dresses, sizes 2 to 14 years. Ransack Sale 39c

Women's Long Kimonos, daintily trimmed, good assortment to select from, all sizes. Ransack Sale69c

Women's Dressing Sackies and Short Crepe Kimonos. Ransack Sale29c

Girls' Middy Blouse Suits, sizes 8 to 16 years; blouse and skirt to match; for the suit77c

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INSURE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

The administration is about to present to congress a scheme for insurance by the nation itself of every man who goes to war.

Calling men from the shops, in which they have workmen's compensation, the government asks of them the most hazardous duty in the world—service on the battlefields.

The administration rightly thinks they should have compensation, promptly and without quibble. It rightly holds that as each man goes into the service he should go with the knowledge that his family will get a fixed sum of money, if he is killed, and he will get a monthly allowance if maimed.

It is said opposition is already appearing, "because it would upset the pension system," whatever that may mean.

Everyone knows our present pension system is a huge scandal. Everyone knows for years congress played politics with it, ignoring worthy old heroes who had no pull, while giving mere coffee-coolers who never smelled gun-powder good-sized allowances, passed on after their deaths to young wives who had married them because of their pensions.

The Civil war practically ended in 1865. There were on the pension rolls in 1873, eight years later when one would think the high tide of claims would have been reached, 119,500 invalids and 118,911 widows. In 1916, 51 years after there were on the rolls 403,120 invalids and 306,452 widows, only a small minority due to the Spanish-American and Philippine campaigns.

In 1873 the government disbursed nearly \$27,000,000 for pensions. In 1916 it expended over \$159,000,000. The government has already paid out over \$4,765,000,000 in Civil war pensions, some justly, a great deal unjustly.

The present administration desires to prevent a repetition of this. The insurance plan will give the government something definite to go on. There will be no pull and haul at Washington before pension bureaus, no miserable spectacle of rival parties in congress seeking the "soldier-vote" by lavish waste of the people's money.

It will cut out not only those who do not deserve it.

The insurance plan will bring relief to all who deserve it. Under the pension plan a worthy claimant has to share his allowance with a pension attorney. Under the insurance plan, the worthy claimant does not have to employ an attorney at all. His claim is automatically established and just as automatically honored.

It is a decent, clean, business-like American way of taking care of worthy Americans who are to fight America's fight.

SHALL THE HUNS HAVE PEACE?

The greatest religious figure in the world asked the belligerents the other day, in the name of Christian civilization, to stop fighting and settle their quarrel by mutual concessions. On the same day that the official text of his peace plea was printed, the American press carried a dispatch from an American correspondent in France, reading as follows:

"Beautiful St. Quentin cathedral today is a smoking mass of ruins, a duplicate of its martyred sister, the historic cathedral of Rheims. Beyond the cathedral the smoke of numerous villages curls to the sky. The fury of German destructiveness is again asserting itself. The burning and looting resembles that which preceded the German retreat in March, though there are no indications that the enemy is preparing to evacuate the territory in this region immediately.

"Fire and terror are being spread through the French towns held by the enemy and now coming under the guns of troops fighting to redeem them. St. Quentin has been completely sacked. Everything of value has been carried off. The convent has entered and the furniture there destroyed. Clothing was torn to pieces and planes smashed."

But these are minor matters compared to the slaughter that goes on continually on the various battlefronts where fully seven million of men have already fallen and where other millions are likely to fall if the opposing belligerents cannot be persuaded to stop the carnage and formulate conditions of peace. Is it any wonder that Pope Benedict has made an appeal for peace? He considers it his duty at least to point to the possibility and the necessity of peace and even to keep on urging peace until the frightful and devastating war shall be abandoned and arrangements made to prevent the possibility of such a visitation over again ravaging the earth. The one great obstacle to peace is that the power of the Tautons is not sufficiently weakened to offer any assurance that another war would not soon follow if peace were now proclaimed. If Germany is not ready to yield to the extent of making the world safe for democracy, then the war must go on until that end is attained.

GUNNING FOR GARDEN THIEVES

Reports come from various parts of the city to the effect that boys are pilfering fruit and vegetable gardens. This is very dangerous business.

ness considering the fact that some men who have tried to catch the thieves have decided that in future they will watch for them at a distance and fire upon them at sight. The law does not sanction this summary method of protecting gardens but it appears that the thieves can so successfully dodge the police officers that some more effective method must be adopted. Mayor O'Donnell has found the matter of sufficient importance to warrant ordering additional police protection in Belvidere where the alleged robberies have been reported.

THE PRICE OF STEEL

The New York stock market took a bullish jump last week, in the belief that the government was going to pay \$67 a ton for the steel it needs for war purposes, thereby justifying the steel trust in charging the public that much, or more, for all its output.

That is about 250 per cent as much as steel sold for before the war. And Henry Ford, who uses enormous quantities of steel, and ought to know something about the steel business, says that "it costs very little more to produce steel today than it did before the war."

We hope Wall street is mistaken as to the government's intentions.

PARIS A SEAPORT

Arrangements are already under way to make Paris a sea port city by widening and deepening the Seine so as to allow ocean-going ships to reach the vicinity of Paris. For generations past the subject has been discussed, but the disastrous floods of 1910 demonstrated that a canal system was necessary to relieve the river in case of floods. The prefect of the Seine has now submitted a definite plan for the improvement. It contemplates a terminal port outside Paris with a channel, thence to Rouen, a distance of about 75 miles, as the crow flies. Probably the project like that of the Merrimack river will be sidetracked until after the war.

ITALIAN DRIVE

Italy is renewing the aggressive in an effort to reach Trieste. In the fierce artillery bombardment, the Italian aviators crossed into the enemy's territory and dropped proclamations announcing that the bombardment would be continued for several hours. This was done to give the non-combatants a chance to escape. Imagine the Kaiser permitting anything of this kind done! The German who would show such regard for non-combatants in enemy territory would be shot.

THE TARIFF BOGEY

Even thus early we find some republican papers predicting an industrial cataclysm after the war unless we go back to the old republican tariff. There is a capable commission in charge of the tariff with full power to safeguard the country so far as that question is concerned. The republican party will have to find another issue. The tariff as a political issue for presidential campaigns is dead and buried.

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Mrs. Minnie Chard, 51 Brookings Avenue.
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Mr. E. A. Demmons, 25 Rogers St.
Mr. Joseph Tarella, 196 Lakeview Avenue.
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Mrs. James W. Gould, 147 Forest Avenue.
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The "Plant Juice Man" is at Bow, the Drugstore, in Merrimack Square, Lowell, where he is daily meeting the local public, and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy.

SEEN AND HEARD

If the steam engine would keep away from the Western avenue crossing in Fletcher street persons living in that vicinity might be able to catch a few hours' sleep between 11 o'clock and the time that the milkmen and ice-men show up.

"Did you really call this gentleman an old fool last night?" said the judge severely. The prisoner tried hard to collect his thoughts. "The more I look at him the more likely it seems that I did," he replied. —Chicago Herald.

Limit of Patience

Joshua Pringle, whose wife went away a year ago last October to stay till Saturday, and who has not yet returned, has sued for divorce. Joshua says a woman is always late in keeping an appointment, but if she doesn't show up in a year there's no use waiting for her. —Topeka Capital.

Quite at Home

Doris was radiant over a recent addition to the family and rushed out of the house to tell the news to a passing neighbor. "Oh, you don't know what we've got up stairs!"

"What is it?" the neighbor asked. "A new baby brother," Doris said, and she watched very closely the effect of her announcement. "You don't say so," the neighbor exclaimed. "Is he going to stay?" "I think so," said Doris. "He's got his things off." —Argonaut.

The Gall of Him!

A number of literary men and also a number of others with literary aspirations had assembled at dinner. Two minor poets became engaged in conversation.

"I saw your spring poem in the Wonder Magazine," said one. "Did you?" questioned the other, becoming animated. "Yes, I heard rather a neat compliment passed up by a young woman."

"What did she say?" "She wanted to know if I had written it." —Cornell Widow.

A Slip in Pronunciation

He was just a little unsteady as he walked away from the drug store, the "hangover" which emphasized the remembrance of the morning being as heavy as the load of the night before, which was the primary cause.

Just around the corner he met another chap whose pants bagged at the knees and who hadn't had a shave.

"Did you get the pint?" was the quick, nervous inquiry. "The guy said he had nawthin' but ginger ale and city water," was the mournful answer, "and me with a taste in me mouth 'n' couldn't cut with chloride of lime."

Both sagged against the staunch pole. Finally one turned to the other. "The draft ain't got no terror for me after this," he remarked.

"You're right," his comrade agreed. "Honest, I wish I'd joined the distillery before the boys marched away."

A Summer House of Sables

A magnificent residence on the North Shore is evidently the summer home of a humorist. Surrounding the beautiful lawn, to guide the unwary feet of the stroller from the velvet grass, is a row of immense oval stones, evidently gathered from the shore, for each is worn to a wonderful smoothness. The stones lie flat and on the surface of each is painted, with the skill of an artist, a face. Such a variety of faces only an artist with a wealth of imagination could conceive—children and adults, negroes, Indians and whites, laughing and sober, Madonnas and Italian peddlers, all wrought with skill and care and

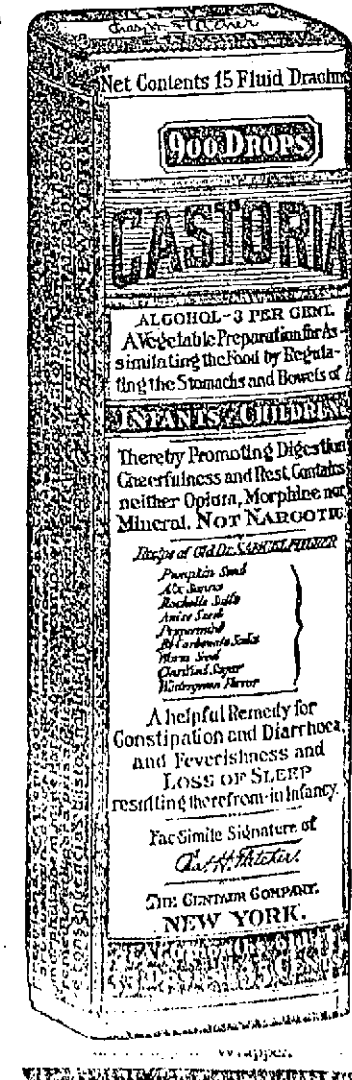
varnished to prevent the ravages of sea air.

Passersby often devote hours to studying the faces, which would do credit to the oil paintings on the walls of the beautiful residence.

At the end of the row is a public walk leading to a wonderful geologic formation known as "Paradise Cliffs," and the final stone near the walk is taken the humorist. One beautiful white stone bears the words, "Turn me over," and of course every stranger or tugs at the heavy stone, at the risk of a strained back, only to find "Now turn me back to catch some other idiot," which he gladly and promptly

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and A FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.



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must chuckle at the efforts of their victims.—Brooklyn Enterprise.

Alphonse does not kick because no one's made his bed. Because pillows are awry, or the classy spread.

Alphonse does as Rover does, turns three times around And curls up and goes to sleep out doors on the ground. There's no comforter to pull close beneath his chin. Mother's tender hands are not there to tuck him in.

There's no roof above his bed, only stars and skies. But as soon as he lies down sleep weighs down his eyes.

Alphonse does not wake of morns to the gurgling tub. Of clear water filling a white enameled tub. And a bar of scented soap, towels two or three. And fresh linen and clean socks where they ought to be. When the sun sends up the sky the first streaks of dawn He surveys north, south, east and west, gives a lazy yawn. Rises up full panopied—for the day has dawned. Smooths his hair down with his palm, and his toilet's made.

Alphonse does not sit and fuss o'er his eggs and ham. Does not put his coffee cup down, and say "Slam." Does not put his grapefruit by, and rip things and rare. That there is no serving man standing by his chair. He gets his little coffee cup filled with coffee—black! On his tin plate, if he's quick, gets some pork and tack. In his fist a hunk of bread, tin plate on his knee. He hogs down the last lone crumb leaning 'gainst a tree.

No pink silk pajamas now, and no bill of fare—Tanned rich mahogany, collar up to hair. Clothed in khaki, straighter than he has ever stood. Every breath seems like a drink. Gee! but life seems good! Alphonse is a "Sammy" now—signed up for the war. Ready to go and help give the foe "what for."

God watch over Alphonse and bring him home again. God help them bar his way—they'll need fighting men!

—Judd Mortimer, in Houston Post.

LADIES OF HADLEY STREET CHURCH HELD LAWN PARTY

The Ladies' Aid society of the Hadley Street Baptist church held a successful lawn party last evening at the home of Mrs. Coburn E. Emery, 1357 Middlesex street. Despite the unfavorable weather the event provided pleasure for all present and to the managers of the affair no little credit is due.

The No. Chelmsford Training school band under the leadership of Leo Larkin provided music for the occasion. A number of midway attractions and refreshment booths offered an outlet for the enthusiasm of the crowd and all were generously patronized.

These in charge were as follows: Ice cream table, Mrs. Mary Messer, Mrs. Herbert Ashton, Mrs. Lee Ashton and Miss Ruth Crab; cake table, Mrs. Vera Bennett, Mrs. Christy Hill and Miss Margaret Emery; grounds, G. Conkin, Herbert Ashton and John Davidson.

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ly decided upon the removal will be made. From present indications the old Bigelow handford mill is the site which will be chosen as it is both centrally located and sufficiently large.

TWO CANVASSERS HELD FOR BURGLARY

RUTLAND, Vt., Aug. 23.—Two magazine canvassers, Marvin Friedman, alias M. V. Walling, and Clarence Kline, alias Paul Hoffman, were arrested here yesterday on warrants charging grand larceny. Kline, the police say, confessed his part in the burglary of the home of Mrs. Frank W. Gary on Grove street Tuesday afternoon. He admits entering the Gary home and says he gave two watches, a safe and an expensive fountain pen to Friedman. The latter denies any connection with the affair. Tuesday afternoon young Kline called at the Gary house and to Mrs. Gary and her daughter, told of his alleged efforts to earn his way through school by selling magazines. When the Garys returned in the evening, after an auto trip, the back door had been unlocked and the house entered.

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GERARD CANCELS ENGAGEMENT

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Former ambassador Gerard, who was taken ill of pneumonia here yesterday, this afternoon cancelled his engagement to speak tonight at Milwaukee. He said he expected to leave for Minneapolis tonight and to speak there tomorrow night.

GAME POSTPONED

TORONTO, Aug. 23.—International Providence-Toronto game postponed wet grounds.

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Police Court

The screaming sound of the steam whistle on the plant of the Tyng Box Co. at Tyngsboro about 2 o'clock this morning awakened the sleepers in that place much before the time the alarm clock was set. The whistle is a harbinger of danger and as a general rule when its blast belches forth there is a fire, but there was no fire this morning. The cause of the alarm was the finding of Frank H. Johnson prowling around the plant of the box company and owing to the fact that the watchman who saw him could not gain access to the telephone and fearful that he had left the place while looking for an officer, something might happen, he operated the steam whistle.

The sound of the whistle awakened practically every person in the town and many thinking that there was a fire in the neighborhood hastily donned the first garments they could grab. One of the first to arrive in the center was Officer William A. Connelley, who, upon making inquiry, found the real cause of the alarm. Johnson, a young man, had previously worked in the box shop, and claiming that he had no place to stay, he had wandered into the works and was about to take a rest when he was discovered by the night watchman.

Inasmuch as the man had been seen at the plant on several previous occasions and his actions aroused suspicion, the officer immediately placed him under arrest and took him to the police station.

In court this morning, Johnson admitted that he had slept in the Tyng plant on different occasions, but denied that he ever went there with the intention of stealing. He further admitted that he had been committed to the Massachusetts reformatory for vagrancy. Inasmuch as the only complaint preferred against him was that of vagrancy, a fine of \$5 was imposed.

Cruelty to a Horse
Israel Budwick, of Methuen, entered a plea of guilty to a complaint charging him with cruelty to a horse. Charles F. Clark offered \$500 as bail for the animal and it was knocked down to him. He immediately had the horse shot. The court found Budwick guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of \$15.

Neglect of Children
Planning Nelson has been neglecting his children for a long time according to testimony offered by the woman who is caring for them. He was ordered to pay \$3 a week for their care but owing to the fact that he was negligent in making payments the principal witness against him said that he was \$125 in arrears at the present time. Judge Edwards found Nelson guilty and ordered him to pay \$5 a week for the support of his children and placed him on probation.

ADVISED NOT TO TAKE WIVES TO AYER

The question of securing accommodation for their wives and families in the vicinity of Ayer is a serious problem for the married officers assigned to duty at Camp Devens. The new cantonment where the first increment of the local troops comprising the national army is to be trained.

There are practically no suitable houses for rent either in or near Ayer and Gen. Edwards is strongly of the opinion that officers assigned to duty at Camp Devens had much better not bring their wives and families.

"I cannot presume to act for the permanent commander of the camp," Gen. Hodges—but, do strongly advise officers not to do this," said Gen. Edwards last evening.

"I should suggest," the general continued, "that an occasional Sunday off to see the family is far wiser than the constant presence of relatives, who unconsciously distract an officer from the serious work which lies before him at such a camp. It was manifest to me that the training candidates who took their wives and families to Plattsburg were seriously handicapped, and it seems reasonable to suppose that the same thing would prove true at Ayer, even if housing accommodations there were all that might be desired."

Gen. Edwards received a telegram last evening from Gen. Hodges, who is to command the cantonment at Ayer, expressing his thanks for the former's telegram of congratulation upon his appointment.

COURT SCORES SOLDIER WHO STRUCK GIRL

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Stephen Crowley, twenty-one, of No. 352 East Eighty-first street, a native-born, seventy-first New York Infantry, was scored by Magistrate Shims in Men's court last night when he pleaded guilty to striking Anna Semon, eighteen, of No. 353 East Eighty-first street, yesterday afternoon.

"You are a fine soldier," the court said sarcastically. "You no doubt will make a great defender of your country, going around slapping defenceless girls."

Crowley offered no explanation for his act. He was turned over to his commanding officer, Capt. Hodgson, who said Crowley would be tried by the military authorities.

COAL IN PAIRS
PARIS, Aug. 23.—The price of coal to be supplied under the coal card system, beginning early in September has been fixed at 100 francs per ton for ordinary coal and 120 francs for anthracite. This scale is intended for coal purchased for private use. The price for coal for central heating stations will be fixed later.

WILL COLLABORATE WITH REICHSTAG FACTIONS

BERLIN, via London, Aug. 23.—The liberal press points out as a significant feature of Tuesday's session of the main committee of the reichstag,

Chancellor Michaelis's statement that the government would not take final action on the papal peace note without consulting and advising with the com-

mittee. This is being received as a pledge that the government heretofore intends to collaborate with the reichstag factions in dealing with the chief problems of the nation's foreign policy and that it would continue to work in harmony with the committee in the direction of achieving peace of reconciliation and mutual understanding.

The suggestion that a smaller sub-committee of the main committee be organized for the purpose of acting as confidential agent between the government and parliament is meeting with approval. It also is said to have the sanction of the chancellor. The smaller unit would enter into intimate confidential relations with the government for the purpose of suggestion and paving the way to general deliberations in the main committee's executive session.

Active champions of parliamentary reforms are inclined to look on the progress thus far recorded as giving promise of still greater headway in the desired direction, while the conservative advocates of democratized relations between the government and the reichstag cite the modest advance as proof of their assertion that parliamentary reorganization must be reached by easy stages and that the new plan must be given opportunity to familiarize itself with German political soil before it can take firm root.

While the chancellor's informal statements and specific reference to the papal peace note are in keeping with expectations it is not unlikely that the vatican's message will prove the basis of an extended debate on war aims during the committee's present sitting, at which the issues of parliamentary reforms are equally certain to be discussed.

The ultra-conservative and Pan-German press continue to view the papal note with suspicion and warn against offering the reichstag coalition parties an opportunity to influence the government's attitude.

BRITISH AIRMEN ATTACK SUBMARINE BASE

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The important submarine base of Zeebrugge and other military objectives in Belgium were attacked yesterday by British airmen, the admiralty announces. "Some hits," the statement adds, "were obtained. The Chistelles airdrome also was bombed. There were explosions near the western shed and a fire was started. All the machines returned.



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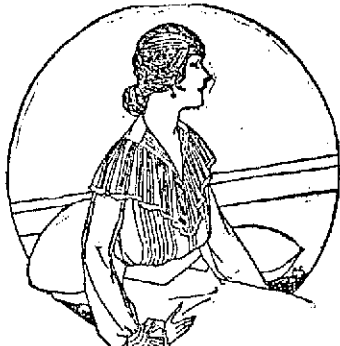
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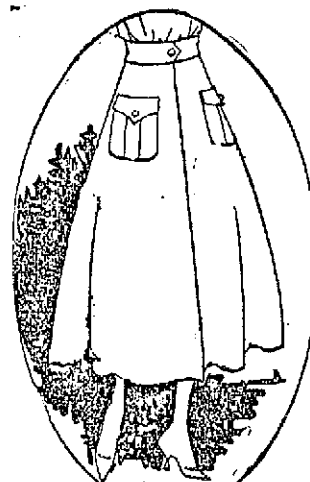
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Fancy and Plain Ribbon, No. 2 to No. 9, in new combinations, for the new sweater hangers and neck bands. Extra value at

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Hairbow Novelty Ribbons in checks, plaids and stripes, heavy quality. Extra value at 39c to 89c Yard

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Sweater Hangers (something new) to keep your sweater in shape. Priced.....75c

RUSSIANS HEAR THAT U. S. WON'T FIGHT

This is another of the series of articles by Charles Edward Russell, staff writer for The Sun, who has just returned from Russia, where he spent three months as a member of the official United States commission to the new Russian government.

BY CHARLES EDWARD RUSSELL
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"The people of the United States are

not in favor of this war."
"The government of the United States is controlled absolutely by the munition makers. For the sake of profits the munition makers wanted the United States to go into the war. That is the only reason why the United States is in it."

"The people of the United States are utterly opposed to the war and wish to make peace at once. They are about to overthrow their government. Then they will make peace with Germany and the war everywhere will come to an end."

"The other day in the United States senate a resolution was introduced for peace. To see it I told you. I know what the people of America think. I am an American myself and I know they are dead against this war."

These are a few samples of the stuff dished incessantly into the ears of Russians by a thousand professional trouble-makers, anarchists and the like returned from America with American passports in their pockets to try to win the situation for Germany.

This sort of stuff and worse. Sometimes they tell the Russians that conditions in the United States are far more intolerable than they ever were in Russia, under the czars, that the people are more oppressed and more miserable, that whatever else the Russians do with their freedom they must be on their guard against establishing any government in the least like that of the United States.

"The United States has ruined Cuba

and Mexico," they say. "It has enslaved its own people. It has now sent commissions over here to prepare the way to enslave you. Above everything else, be on your guard against America. I know what it is. I am an American myself. Look at my American passport."

"The United States will never do any fighting in this war. Do not be deceived. The United States is only bluffing. It doesn't intend to fight. The munition makers only want some fat orders for guns and things and then the United States will make peace with Germany. That is what you ought to do if you don't want to get left. Now is the time to make peace. What do you want to fight for? England and France are all in and the United States is only fooling you. Everybody knows that in the United States. I just came from there. I am an American. I know."

The great Field of Mars, the ancient parade ground of Petrograd, is the scene of a huge debating school of the new democracy. Every Sunday you can see there 200,000 or 300,000 people in groups around the speakers, listening to orators. Oratory is the Russian national game.

These agents of mischief, recently returned from America, run from meeting to meeting, rattling the lies I have quoted above.

There is no chance to deny that they do an infinity of harm. The German propaganda in the United States and Germany, which directs their efforts, judged with perfect accuracy of the harm they could do. Nothing better for the Kaiser has been done since the war began.

They undermine faith. They destroy courage. They make many Russians believe that the United States is about to seek peace and Russia therefore will be left fighting hopelessly alone.

It was this treacherous activity, combined with the pre-arranged mutiny of German agents in the ranks, that caused the recent slump in the Russian line in Galicia. Direct cause and direct effect.

But take good heed of the next point in this black record. Everything that happens in the United States that can be used as material by these clever-fingers gets promptly over there.

Every time a plausible, cleverly named pro-German organization calls for a peace convention the fact gets to the



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Your white wool sweater! Your rose colored one!

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If you have not washed it before, soak for a few minutes in a solution of one cup of salt to one gallon of water—to set the color.

Make the lather in very hot water, but add cold water till comfortable for the hands before putting in your sweater. Continue as with a white sweater, only dry in the shade instead of in the sun.

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NO SECOND DRAFT CALL SOLDIER NEWSPAPERS FOR TILL NEXT SPRING

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Every available camp site will be crowded by the 887,000 men called in the first draft, according to these officers, and training and transportation facilities they believe will not permit the army to use any additional force within the next six months or more.

Gen. Crowder said yesterday the subject of a second draft has never been taken up with him through military channels as a possibility of the near future. Gen. Crowder is understood to be preparing a complete report showing statistics of the draft and making recommendations for possible future drafts. The exact character of the report has not been made public.

Active preparations for mobilization of the first increment of national army recruits Sept. 5 began yesterday with the receipt by the quartermaster general's corps of the meat tickets to be supplied the men en route to their camps.

The war department yesterday issued orders aimed toward economy in clothing allowances and quartermasters are instructed to fill all requisitions only for necessities. This will discontinue the practice of giving soldiers upon enlistment an extra allowance of \$3.05 in clothing.

The national army men are due for a surprise when they arrive in camp. They will be first examined by army surgeons and then will be provided immediately with uniforms. It is anticipated that the regular army instructors will be able to fit all the rookies in record time, at least for the first 60 percent of the new army men.

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Gen. Crowder said yesterday the subject of a second draft has never been taken up with him through military channels as a possibility of the near future. Gen. Crowder is understood to be preparing a complete report showing statistics of the draft and making recommendations for possible future drafts. The exact character of the report has not been made public.

Active preparations for mobilization of the first increment of national army recruits Sept. 5 began yesterday with the receipt by the quartermaster general's corps of the meat tickets to be supplied the men en route to their camps.

The war department yesterday issued orders aimed toward economy in clothing allowances and quartermasters are instructed to fill all requisitions only for necessities. This will discontinue the practice of giving soldiers upon enlistment an extra allowance of \$3.05 in clothing.

The national army men are due for a surprise when they arrive in camp. They will be first examined by army surgeons and then will be provided immediately with uniforms. It is anticipated that the regular army instructors will be able to fit all the rookies in record time, at least for the first 60 percent of the new army men.

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POSTPONE OPENING OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WOBBURN, Mass., Aug. 23.—The school committee of this city has postponed the opening of the public schools from the first week in September to October 1, in order that farmers may have the services of school boys during the harvest season. The owners of many farms on the outskirts of the city had petitioned for such action.

NINTH MEN RECOVERING
CAMP MCGUINNESS, FRAMINGHAM, Aug. 23.—Beautiful weather prevailed at this camp yesterday after the blizzard storm of Tuesday night. All the sufferers from lightning are convalescing at the hospital.

The men who came over from the 5th Infantry to swell the ranks of the vacuous companies of the 9th are making themselves "at home" with their new comrades, and all have but one object in view, that of making the 20th division, which will be strictly a New England unit, the best in the American army.

Early yesterday morning the men got to work on their tents and before night all were comfortably located.

It looked very much like a warm day, as on every gun rope were hung underclothing, uniforms and blankets, and it will take some days to dry out the camp after the wetting down it received Tuesday night.

The New Hampshire boys, who have joined the Massachusetts sanitary troops, are also working hard to get their camp in order after their tough experience.

TRIBUTE TO LAUDER

The following stanzas in the melodious Scotch dialect were written by Bernard D. Ward of South street in the western battlefield where he sang the rousing Scotch songs to cheer his brother Scots. The lines are addressed to Lauder, whose son was killed in the war:

I was mighty proud to read about, war veisit to the front, the cheer the sturdy Scottish lads, who bear the battle's brunt, and prodder still for weel I kent. The tugs yer heart strings fail, as at yer only jaddie's grave, weeping silently ye knelt.

Fu' weel I ken the grief that's yours, the tugs that grip yer heart, tak' comfort in the thought sublime, He played the manly part, in makin' sacrifice supreme. So you and I might ken, The blessings o' democracy, the brotherhood o' men.

Gin ye could only hear aince mair, The voice ye lo'd ae weel, 'Twould banish a' yer grief and care, And never yer heart wud fail, Even tho' the cost be great, na freen, And bitter be yer tears, The gage o' worth is measured not, By length o' life in years.

HER AIRM PRACTURED
Julia Pedersen, aged 13 years and living at 35 Boileau street, suffered a fracture of the left arm while attending the McManus picnic at Mountain Brook grove yesterday. She was taken to her home and later the ambulance was summoned and she was removed to St. John's hospital.

CANOBIE LAKE PARK
Today the patrons of Canobie Lake park theatre will have their last opportunity of seeing Mary Pickford as "Mistress Nell." In this character, Mary Pickford plays the title role of pretty Nell Gwyn, whose bravery saves her royal lover, and also his kingdom, from the many plots that are set for him by Louis, Duchess of Portsmouth, the one who makes the double plot that little Nell Gwyn, the actress, cleverly sees through, and sets to work to protect her lover, King Henry VIII, the vengeful woman and other malicious and vicious enemies of her love and happiness, wins back her royal lover's heart and trust is dramatically developed in this daring romance of the swashbuckling period of hearts and swords, and Miss Pickford lends a new and vivid beauty to "Mistress Nell," of whom it was said, "England would be worse than a Puritan funeral without her." An excellent cast including Mr. Owen Moore, Mary Pickford's husband, who plays Charles II, contributes to make the play one of unusual interest and merit.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT BOARD
BOSTON, Aug

MORE YOUNG MEN ON ROLL OF HONOR

"We are both on the draft list," said Edward F. Quinn of 13 Lagrange court to his brother, Daniel, of the same address, "and even though both of us are called one will have to remain at home to care for mother. Now we both agreed that the one who should first be called for examination would waive exemption and serve Uncle Sam, while the other when his turn came would claim exemption on the grounds of having a dependent mother." This was before the serial numbers were given out.

Yesterday afternoon Edward F. was summoned to appear before the exemption board of division two at city hall and he successfully passed the physical test. When asked if he had any grounds for claim of exemption he replied in the negative and informed the board that he will claim exemption. He is called he will claim exemption, for one of the boys has to remain at home to care for the mother. Edward is called he will claim exemption, for one of the boys has to remain at home to care for the mother. Edward is called he will claim exemption, for one of the boys has to remain at home to care for the mother.

Jra W. Goldthwait, 29 years, 1 Barton street.
Alfred L. LeCuyer, 30 years, 11 Marshall street.
At yesterday afternoon's session of the board two more recruits were added to the roll of the national army, as follows:
Hugh Ahearn, 24 years, 49 Marginal street.
Edward F. Quinn, 28 years, 13 Lagrange street.
Those who successfully passed the physical test and who claimed exemption on the grounds of having dependent mothers were:
George D. Andreopoulos, 29 years, 69 Prince street.
George Macheros, 29 years, 444 Market street.
Henry G. Parrie, 29 years, 10 Ivy street.
Ernest R. Thibault, 26 years, 21 Hillside street.

Among the men who were examined for the national army by the exemption board of division four, Greenhalge school, this morning, was Robert E. Means, who successfully passed the physical test, but who claimed exemption on the grounds of having dependent parents. Mr. Means was formerly a private in the Sixth Infantry, M.N.G., but was recently given an honorable discharge on account of having dependent parents. Included in this morning's list was also Leroy S. Draper, of 28 L street, who has a wife and child, but who waived exemption.

Twenty-five men had been summoned to appear before the board this morning and of this number 22 reported. Nineteen were examined by the physician and of that number 10 successfully passed the physical test, five claiming exemption on the grounds of dependent parents.

The five whose names were placed on the roll of honor were as follows:

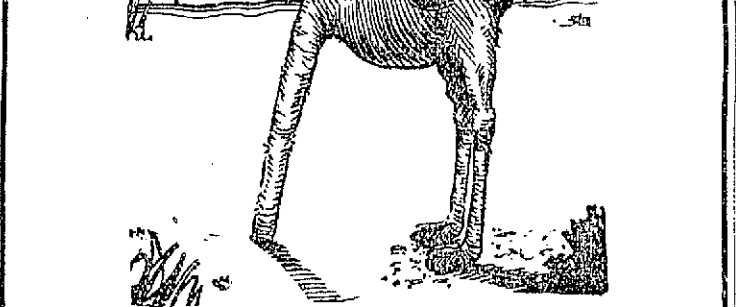
Henry S. O'Brien, 27 years, 3 L street.
Leroy S. Draper, 30 years, 28 L street.
Frank Ginalski, 25 years, 1 McDowell street.

Dennis Callahan, 26 years, 2 Manning place.
Theophilus Roy, 23 years, 528 Moody street.

Those who claimed exemption were:
Robert E. Means, 29 years, 38 West Fifth street.
George Paquette, 26 years, 179 Ennals street.
Joseph A. Tierney, 27 years, 36 West L street.

Edward Hamel, 28 years, 472 Moody street.
O'Neil H. Garrigan, 28 years, 151 Lafayette avenue.

Despite the fact that about 25 men were examined yesterday afternoon the board failed to make a single addition to the number already gotten for the



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If you are paying more for your food than we charge you are paying too much. Look over our list and try us for the week end.

Fancy SIRLOIN ROASTS, lb. 30c | SUGAR, lb. 20c

ICE CHEST DRIP PANS

Made of galvanized ware. Cannot overflow. Easy to empty.

30c and 40c Each

Baker's Vanilla.....21c | Clean Easy Soap.....6 for 25c

Annheuser BEVO Single Bottles.....10c
Dozens.....90c
Case, 2 Dozen.....\$1.60

VEGETABLES

Fresh from the farms every twice a day, at prices as low as anywhere. We are here rain or shine.

SPECIALS

Bunch Beets.....2 for 5c
Ripe Tomatoes, lb.....20c
Green Cabbage, lb.....10c
Carrots, lb.....10c
Shell Beans, 3 qts.....50c
Large Cucumbers, each.....30c
Summer Squash, lb.....20c

FRUIT

Large Ripe Peaches, doz.....20c
Watermelons, each.....25c
Blue Plums, doz.....50c
Bartlett Pears, doz.....35c
Cantaloupes, each.....50c, 8c
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs for 25c

SPECIAL

Elgin Butter, lb.....43c
Choice Large Eggs, doz, 42c
Compound Lard, lb.....21c

FISH

Shore Haddock, lb.....8c
Fresh Eastern Salmon, lb. 35c
Swordfish, lb.....28c
Mackerel, lb.....12½c
Lobsters, lb.....38c, 43c
Napes for Chowder, lb.....10c

MEATS

Sugar Hams, halves, lb. 25c
Lean O'Neil Shoulders, lb. 21c
Legs of Fall Lamb, lb.....25c
Loins of Lamb, lb.....28c
Veal Roasts, lb.....25c
Choice Milk Fed Fowl, lb. 32c
Fancy Chickens, lb.....35c
Choice Broilers, lb.....30c
Sirloin Steak, lb.....35c
Veal Steak, lb.....35c

SPECIAL

Full Grain Rice, lb.....9c
Pea Beans, lb.....18c
Horticultural Beans, lb.....10c

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FINAL REDUCTIONS

A GRAND CLEAN-UP BEFORE WE TAKE STOCK NEXT WEEK. NOT A QUESTION OF PRICE. THE GARMENTS MUST BE SOLD

Cotton Dresses

The high grade Dresses all at one price, must be sold in 2 days... \$4.40

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72 Silk Dresses

Taffeta and Silk Poplin. Selling to \$18.75

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CHERRY & WEBB

12-18 JOHN ST.

Choice of the WASH SUITS

Linen and Palm Beach, sizes to 44, sold to \$13.50.

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Selling to \$4.00.

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11th SEMI-ANNUAL RANSACK SALE

Friday, Saturday and Monday, Aug. 24th, 25th and 27th

We want to make this great Ransack Sale an occasion of real value to our patrons and to ourselves, by giving very low prices on merchandise that we must clean up at once. All broken lots, odds and ends, accumulations of stocks, etc., will be offered at prices that bear no relation to profit but will mean much to patrons. It has been our policy ever since we started in business never to carry any goods over from one season to another, so consequently we shall conform to our usual custom of a complete clearance at the season's end and begin our Ransack Sale tomorrow morning. The following are some of the items offered:

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' SHOES

Women's Pumps, made of gun metal and patent leather, plain style with Louis Cuban heels and instep strap with low heels, made on broad last. Sizes 2-12 to 6. Ransack Sale \$1.87

Odd Lot of Women's Pumps, Oxford and Colonial. Made up in black and patent leathers. A good assortment of styles and sizes to choose from; regular \$2.00 and \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39

Women's Oxfords, made of soft tan leather, blucher style, broad "back to nature" last, all Goodyear welts, sizes 3 to 5-12; \$3.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.47

A small lot of Women's Tan Summer Shoes, lace and buttoned oxfords, plain strap pumps and colonials; some have cloth quarters and some have rubber soles; low and high heels; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59

Women's White Buck Pumps and Colonials with large buckle. Louis Cuban covered heels. Goodyear welts; regular \$2.00 and \$3 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59

Odd lot of Women's White Shoes, made of canvas and poplin, high lace and buttoned, also plain and strap pumps in this lot; value up to \$2.50. Ransack Sale \$1.37

Women's Summer Shoes, made of colored kid, champagne, putty, sand, bronze and grey, pumps and colonial style, leather and covered heels; a good assortment of styles, sizes 2-12 to 7; values to \$3.00. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Women's White Summer Shoes, slightly counter soled; poplin and Sea Island duck pumps, oxfords and colonials. Ransack Sale \$1.67c

Women's Shoes, high buttoned style, black and blue velvet with medium Cuban heels, sizes 2-12 to 6; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

Women's Satin Pumps for party or street wear; black, white and some colors; mostly plain style with covered heels, sizes 2-12 to 8. Ransack Sale \$1.89c

Odds and Ends of Women's High Grade Pumps and Oxfords, made of gun metal and patent leather with cloth quarters that have been dyed black; mostly narrow widths. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's House Shoes, factory damaged, lace oxfords and Juliet style; plain toes with rubber heels. Ransack Sale \$1.15

Girls' Shoes, high lace and buttoned, made of vic kid and gun metal with heavy soles; sizes 8-12 to 2; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29

Girls' \$1.50 White Canvas Shoes, extra high lace, made on broad last with painted soles and heels; sizes 1-2 to 2. Ransack Sale \$1.15

Girls' \$1.00 White Canvas Shoes, high buttoned style made on nature shape last with white soles; sizes 8-12 to 2. Ransack Sale \$1.15

Children's Pumps, made of plain and patent leather; Mary Jane style with ankle strap and ribbon bow; sizes 6 to 11. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Children's \$1.50 White Buckskin Shoes, high lace style with tip, nature shape last and durable soles, sizes 6 to 11. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Children's \$1.00 Barefoot Sandals, made of tan leather; broad last and stitched soles; sizes 6 to 11. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Odd Lots of Girls' Play Shoes and Pumps, made of black and tan leather, lace and strap styles; sizes up to 13. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Babies' Soft Sole Shoes, button and lace, black, white and tan; sizes 0 to 4. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

HOUSE DRESSES

New Fancy Stripe Aprons with large bibs, made of good percales; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

All Over Aprons, in good sizes, light and dark colors; regular \$4.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

All Our 95c House Dresses, in gingham, chambray, muslin and percale. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Elastic Belt Aprons, of fine percales, in blue, pink, lavender. Trimmed tastefully. Ransack Sale \$1.63c

Afternoon Dresses, in lavender, blue, green and fancy patterns. Some Lilly Burke styles; regular \$1.49 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Heatherbloom Petticoats, in plain blue, black, green and mustard; also pink and blue floral designs; regular \$1.98 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39

NECKWEAR DEPT.

An Odd Lot of Collars, square back, lace trimmed; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

Embroidered Trench Shape Collar and Cuff Sets; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Satin Hemstitched Windsor Ties in all the newest shades; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.37c

Auto Caps in blue, rose, tan, green and navy; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Novelty Bows and Ties, slightly soiled; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.99c

Georgette Crepe Vestees with round or square collar; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Large Square Chiffon Auto Vests, in all shades; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

SMALLWARES

Collar Foundations, black and white. Ransack Sale \$1.00 Each

Pearl Buttons, small and medium sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Geneva and Kerr's 600 Yard Spoils Cotton, all numbers, black and white. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Japanese Hair Pins, best quality. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Black Skirt Belling, 1-12 and 2 in. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Misses' and Children's Carters, black and white, all sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.89c

Colored Fancy Edging for trimmings, assorted colors. Ransack Sale \$1.99c

Guaranteed Dress Shields, medium and large sizes. Sale Price \$1.79c

Hooks and Eyes, black and white, all sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Remnant Spool Cotton, full 200 yards, all sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

HOUSEWARES

"Hefsey" Footed Glass Punch Bowls; regular \$3.50 value. Ransack Sale \$2.00

"Pine Saver" Gas Stoves, top holds five utensils on one burner. Ransack Sale \$1.00

Gas Irons, complete with tubing; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29

"New Era" Metal Hot Water Bottles; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.89c

Mrs. Potts' Irons, aluminum tops; regular value \$1.00 a set. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Aerol Ice Cream Freezers; regular \$8.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Non-Absorbent Bread Boards; regular \$4.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Dennison's Lunch Sets; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Washing Machines, with water motor; regular \$18.00 value. Ransack Sale \$10.00

Japanese Incense Burner; regular \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

Indoor Clothes Line Reels. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

GLOVE DEPT.

Women's Lightweight Fabric Gloves in white, 2 clasp. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Women's Imported Lamb Skin Gloves with 3 rows black embroidery, 2 clasp; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.15

Women's Doe Skin Gloves in white, with 3 rows self-embroidered, all sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.00

SHOE DEPT.

Women's Pumps, made patent colt, gun metal, calf, bronze, champagne, gray kid, black and tan oze; Louis Cuban heels; regular \$3 value. Ransack Sale \$1.65

Women's Trot Moc Oxfords, made from Indian tanned moose leather; regular \$3.50 value. Ransack Sale \$2.45

Women's Bathing Shoes in pump and oxford style; regular \$1.00 and \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Women's Black and Tan Rubber Sole Oxfords, Goodyear welts; regular prices \$3.00 and \$3.50. Ransack Sale \$1.45

MILLINERY DEPT.

White Untrimmed Straw Hats; regular \$4.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Untrimmed Colored Straw Hats; regular \$2.98 value. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Trimmed Colored and Black Hats; regular \$5.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.89

Flowers; regular \$4.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39

CLOAK and SUIT SECTION

Second Floor

Serge Dress Skirts, choice of black or navy, all this season's styles, extra sizes included; regular \$3.98 and \$4.98 value. Ransack Sale \$2.69

Fancy Summer Skirts in plain colors and fancy figured patterns, silk, mercerized, satin and taffeta; regular \$4.98 value. Ransack Sale \$1.89

One Piece Jersey Bathing Suits, neck, armholes and bottom of skirt trimmed with wide braid. Ransack Sale \$1.79

All this season's best styles in Serge Coats and Dresses, also Silk Poplin Dresses, not many of each style but all sizes in the lot; values from \$3.98 to \$10.89. Ransack Sale \$4.69

WAIST DEPT.

Second Floor

White Middy Blouses and Colored Smocks; regular value \$1.00. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Black Batiste Waists, extra large size; regular value \$1.23. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

White and Colored Silk Waists and White Smocks; values up to \$3. Ransack Sale \$1.39

White and Colored Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe Waists; values up to \$5.00. Ransack Sale \$2.79

Women's Fibre Silk and All Wool Sweater Coats; regular value \$5.00. Ransack Sale \$2.98

INFANTS' DEPT.

Children's New Gingham Dresses, just the thing for school, made Empire style with white collars and pockets, trimmed with white, sizes 6 to 14 years; regular \$1.98 value. Ransack Sale \$1.49

Children's Gingham Dresses, some plaid and some plain colors, sizes 6 to 14 years; regular \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Children's Dresses of Amoskeag Gingham, some trimmed with white and others with dark collar and cuffs; sizes 6 to 14 years; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.49c

Children's All Wool Sweaters, white with pink, blue, rose or open collars and sash; regular \$2.49 value. Ransack Sale \$1.39

Children's All Silk Vests, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years; regular \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.49c

Infants' Long or Short Dresses, made of good material, trimmed with embroidery or lace; regular \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Infants' Long Coats of Bedford Cord with cap collar, trimmed with braid; regular \$3.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.49c

DRAPERY DEPT.

Waste Paper Baskets; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

1500 yds. Scrim Remnants, in short lengths of from 2 to 6 yds.; regular \$1.50 to \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.89c

36x72 Crex Rings; regular \$2.23 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29 Each

HANDKERCHIEFS

Men's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Women's Lined Initial Handkerchiefs, assorted styles. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, all styles. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Women's Plain Lined Handkerchiefs. Ransack Sale \$1.10c

Men's Colored Border Handkerchiefs. Ransack Sale \$1.49c

CORSET DEPT.

Corsets, Sizes 18 to 30. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Corsets, (broken sizes); values up to \$3.00. Ransack Sale \$1.89c

Corsets (broken sizes); values up to \$1.50. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Brassieres, (broken sizes); values up to \$1.00. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Brassieres, (size 34 to 44); values \$2.50. Ransack Sale \$1.19c

TOILET GOODS

El Rado for Superfuous Hair; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Tourists' Cases; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Santal Talcum; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Lakeside Lily Extract; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Honeymoon Talcum; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Surbeum Violet; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Vaniline's Cold Cream in tubes; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Lustr It's Lilac Toilet Water; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Racarina Cold Cream in tubes; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Smelling Salts; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Blair's Milkweed Lotion; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Smelling Salts; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Meibau Skin Lotion; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Palm Olive Shaving Slicks; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Merlin's Peroxide Vanishing Cream; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Nail Sticks in celluloid cases; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Racarina Tooth Paste; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Bath Salts, odors of rose and corylopsis; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Emery Boards, 2 packages for \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Lustr It's Face Powder; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Twilight Lily Extract; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

RIBBON DEPT.

Large Assortment of Manufacturers' Samples of Ribbon, including satins, taffetas, moires and Dressings, suitable for hair bows, sashes and bags; regular values up to \$1.00. Ransack Sale \$1.49c

Satin and Taffeta Ribbon, 1/2 to 2 inches wide; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Elastic and Grosgrain Hat Bands; regular \$2.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's American Hosiery Vests in Swiss rib and silk lisle, low neck, no sleeves, lace hand top; regular \$1.00 and \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's American Hosiery Union Vests in silk lisle and silk lisle, low neck, no sleeves, in tight and loose knee, all sizes; regular \$1.25 and \$1.49 value. Ransack Sale \$1.00

Women's Lisle Union Suits in low neck, no sleeves, lace and tight knee; regular \$1.00 and \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Vests in lisle, low neck, no sleeves, sizes 5 and 6. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

DOMESTICS

Mercerized Napkins, size 20x30, good patterns; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Bureau Scarfs, with insertion and blue edge; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Turkish Towels, with blue or gold borders; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

BASEMENT

READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Children's Drawers, made of good cotton, sizes 2 to 12 years. Ransack Sale \$1.00

Women's Night Gowns, Long White Petticoats and Corset Covers, lace and humpback trimmed. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Children's Gingham Dresses, sizes 2 to 14 years. Ransack Sale \$1.39c

Women's Long Kimonos, daintily trimmed, good assortment to select from, all sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.69c

Women's Dressing Sequae and Short Crepe Kimonos. Ransack Sale \$1.29c

Girls' Middy Blouse Suits, sizes 8 to 16 years; blouse and skirt to match; for the suit. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Women's House Dresses, in gingham, percales and flannels, all sizes. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

HOSIERY DEPT.

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, high spliced heel, double sole and 6-inch garter top of lisle, in sky blue only; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, in bronze only; all sizes; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's "Outside" Split Foot Hose, full fashioned, sizes \$1.00 and \$1.50 only; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, in novelty, including white with black stripes. Second, 500 quality. 29c Pair, 4 Pairs for \$1.00

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, in black, medium gray, pearl, bronze and champagne. Seconds of 500 quality. Imperfections very slight. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Miscellaneous Silk Lisle Hose, very fine rib in pink and sky blue; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Balance of our Children's Socks, in black and white, counter soled; regular \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Or if Lot of Children's Hose, small sizes only, in black and white; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

UNDERMUSLINS

Corset Covers, lace and humpback trimmed, counter soled; regular value \$1.00. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Envelope Chemise and Long White Petticoats; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

White and Pink Silk Envelope Chemises; regular value \$1.50. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's One-piece Crepe Pajamas, daintily trimmed; regular value \$1.50. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Combinations, Envelope Chemises and Night Gowns, counter soled; values to \$2.00. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

JEWELRY DEPT.

Women's Fancy Hair Brooches; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Coin Purses in gun metal; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Ear Rings in fancy designs; regular \$2.50 quality. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's and Children's Gold Rings, large assortment to choose from. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Beauty Baby Pins in gold or silver; regular \$1.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Watch Pins in solid gold with safety clasp; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's Watch Pins in gold; regular \$1 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Women's and Children's Gold Crosses; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

Gold Pendants; regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 value. Ransack Sale \$1.19

Men's Gold Cuff Buttons in different styles; regular \$1.50 value. Ransack Sale \$1.59c

MEN'S CLOTHING DEPT.

Men's Odd Coats, in fancy mixtures and chevrons, sizes 32 to 38 only. Ransack Sale \$1.79c

Men's and Young Men's Suits, in two or three-piece summer suits, fancy or plain models. Sizes 32 to 38 breast. Spid as high as \$13.00. Ransack Sale \$1.67c

Men's and Young Men's Blue Serge and Fancy Suits, in plain or patch pockets, medium

BIRD TO GIVE SUPPORT TO CUSHING

BOSTON, Aug. 23.—Charles Sumner Bird of Walpole whose support of Gov. McCall two years ago contributed largely to his election over David I. Walsh, is out for Grafton D. Cushing for governor this year.

Bird is a member of the Cushing campaign committee, which was announced by Edward C. Mansfield, the Cushing manager, last night.

The presence of the former progressive party leader on the Cushing bandwagon is the big surprise of the campaign to date. It has been known for some time that Bird's enthusiasm for McCall has been waning. The reason which has been assigned for his change of heart is his dissatisfaction with McCall's lack of aggressiveness on behalf of the four workers' bill in the legislature last year and his failure to carry through other social welfare measures which Bird favors.

The four workers' bill, one of Bird's hobbies, provided for three shifts of workers in industries particularly dangerous to health, where work continues day and night. It was advocated by Bird in his own gubernatorial campaign and was petitioned for by him before the legislature.

Asked for By Bird

It was one of the things for which Mr. Bird asked two years ago, when he agreed to support McCall in return for certain social welfare planks in the republican platform. At that time McCall was able to get into the platform a specific plank calling for a constitutional convention as requested by Bird, but the only reference to the four workers' proposition was a general declaration in favor of reasonable hours of labor for all workmen.

Bird was satisfied at the time, and openly supported McCall against Walsh. The four workers' bill went into the legislature the next year and passed the house in a form satisfactory to Bird. It was amended in the senate and finally was defeated because of the inability of the two branches to reconcile their differences.

Advocates of the measure have charged that its defeat was due to the failure of the governor to urge its passage in proper form by the senate, and Bird is said to share in this belief.

While rumors of Bird's dissatisfaction have been circulated of late, his appearance as an active worker for Cushing has not been expected.

Herbert Parker of Lancaster, former republican attorney general, is also on the list given as the Cushing campaign committee.

EVADING REQUIREMENTS OF DRAFT LAW

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 23.—John T. Dunn, who is already on bail for having failed to register for draft, and Adolph Fred Yarns, surrendered today to United States Marshal Richards and were placed in custody on warrants charging them with willfully and knowingly evading the requirements of the draft law. They were arraigned before United States Commissioner Healy, pleaded not guilty and held in \$10,000 bail each.

Immediately after arraignment Adg. Gen. Abbott served on each a formal notice that they had been drafted into the army and must report before midnight to the adjutant general's office in person, by mail or by telegraph. These are the first cases in the east where such orders have been issued, it is believed.

CANNING CLASSES WILL HOLD TWO SESSIONS TOMORROW— MORNING AND EVENING

The public safety canning class will hold two sessions tomorrow, one at 9 o'clock in the morning and the other at 7 in the evening. The directors of the class are preparing for the part which they are to take in the agricultural fair next month and it is expected that their showing of canned products and food value demonstration will be one of the features of the fair. Suitable prizes are to be awarded and the directors of the station are encouraging the women who are attending the class sessions to take part in the exhibit.

WOMAN SUFFRAGIST DEFENDS PICKETING

The following communication is received from a writer who represents the suffragist pickets at Washington:

To the Editor of The Sun: George Washington and 250,000 militant suffragists picketed King George III from July 4, 1776, to October 19, 1781, in an effort to secure votes for men—they succeeded.

On January 10, 1917, women began picketing the government of the United States in an effort to secure votes for women—they are still picketing.

On January 10, 1917, women began picketing the democratic party because, having the power, it refused to establish a democracy in the United States. Votes for men were secured after five years of bloody militancy. With the democratic party compel women to engage in picketing until the republican party secures control of the national government?

Every voter who reads this is self-governing because somewhere, sometime, someone became militant. It is not necessary to neglect any of the functions of government in order to enfranchise women; congress indulges in three (3) minute sessions and three-day vacations while women languish in the work-house because they demand the vote.

The most important subject before congress is the federal amendment for woman suffrage and should take precedence over every other measure. All other questions are trivial compared with the right of 20,000,000 women to enter the ranks of self-governing peoples!

It would require just forty-five (45) minutes to pass the federal amendment for woman suffrage.

Viola Kaufman, 417 G street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

We cheerfully give space to the foregoing communication in defense of the picketing crusade conducted by the advocates of woman suffrage in Washington.

The statement that all other questions before congress are trivial compared to that of extending the suffrage to the women of this country, shows how blind the writer is to all important issues of the war. Her contention is about as silly as that of a little girl who would contend with her mother about what dress she should wear while the mother was strenuously striving to save her from being run over by a railroad train. The Sun supported the suffrage cause and was glad to note its steady progress, until a category of political women in Washington began to adopt the methods of the worst militant suffragettes. While these methods might be tolerated in time of peace, they cannot be in time of war. Moreover, if these women pickets were imbued with the proper patriotic spirit, they would cease to think of the suffrage and go in to do their bit in the service of their country.

If they stopped all agitation and offered their services to the government in the war, they would advance the suffrage cause as nothing else could, whereas by heckling congress and the president, they are alienating its best friends and supporters and laying the foundation of future defeat. The methods of the I.W.O. cannot be approved even under the guise of women suffrage.—The Editor.

MR. CUPPLES HONORED BY EMPLOYEES

Mr. Lorne L. Cupples, superintendent of the Whiteall Mfg. Co. in Rock street, was one of the Lowell men selected for the second Flatibusburg camp and he left Lowell for Flatibusburg last evening. When it became known a week or so ago that Mr. Cupples was soon to leave for Flatibusburg, the employees of the Whiteall got together and formulated plans for a surprise to their very popular superintendent. The result was that a few days ago Mr. Cupples received a hurry up call upon arriving there was confronted by an army of employees that would have looked formidable on the fighting line. Before Mr. Cupples could ascertain what it was all about, "Bill" Watson, singer and orator, stepped forward and presented him a beautiful wrist watch and field glasses in behalf of the employees. Mr. Cupples was visibly affected by the unexpected honor.

MUSN'T MONKEY WITH SELECTIVE DRAFT

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—After a hearing in the federal court in Brooklyn today, Dr. Henry Seligman assistant physician at exemption board 52, and Lazarus N. Jacobson, an insurance agent, charged with conspiracy to obstruct the working of the selective draft, were held in \$5000 bail each for trial on September 10.

FOUND PROBABLY GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 23.—Lester Garlick, driver of the automobile which carried four people to death on the Fall River road July 29, was found probably guilty of manslaughter in the third district court today and was held in bonds of \$1000 for the superior court.

NAIN ONE OF FOURTEEN GERMAN SPIES

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 23.—William F. Nain, 35 years old, under arrest here charged with being a German spy, told the police he was one of 14 spies working in the United States at the direction of the German government. Maps, charts, explanatory notes and other papers were found on Nain and an express package he had forwarded to Charlottesville containing other information sent to be for the German government, was intercepted.

The prisoner is reported to be from Montreal and the son of a Scotch-Irish father and a German mother. He said he was sending information to his mother in Montreal.

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100-yard race for boys over 15 years: Won by Amos Guind.

Wheelbarrow race: Won by Joseph Galvin and Ed Morrow.

One-mile race: Won by Edward Conney.

Shoe race for boys: Won by Noe Provencher.

Shoe race for girls: Won by Irene Poir.

Three-legged race: Won by Walter Miskell and Raymond Brady.

Three-legged race for girls: Won by Margaret Clark and Elizabeth Horan.

Shoe race for small boys: Won by Raymond Lefebvre.

50-yard race for girls: Won by Helen Twomey; Catherine Lavery, second.

100 yards race for girls: Won by Margaret Dorezzo; Elizabeth Horan second.

100 yards race for boys: Won by Thomas Flynn.

A baseball game between the "McManus Blues" and the "Merrimack Square Pats" resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 9 to 4. The lineup was as follows:

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Merrimack: Square Pats; Conner; P. Morrow; C. McGrath; B. Laffey; B. Galvin; D. Dube; B. Laffey; T. Laffey; N. Vansky.

Officer William J. Kenney was umpire and he had his hands full in settling disputes among the contestants.

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American League
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Am. League	Won	Lost	P. C.
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Boston	68	52	.568
Cleveland	61	59	.508
Detroit	61	57	.517
New York	55	63	.468
St. Louis	48	70	.408
Philadelphia	42	76	.353
National League	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	71	39	.645
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BOSTON, Aug. 23.—Ten of the twelve New England athletes who won titles in sectional championship meets of the Amateur Athletic Union last year, were sent to their entries for the New England championship track meet to be held in Technology field, Cambridge on Saturday. More than 100 entries have been received.HAS RECOVERED CONSCIOUSNESS
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FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Eastern and western tennis stars met on the courts of the West Side club today in the semi-final round of the national patriotic singles tournament. The two easterners, E. Norris Williams, 2d, 1916 champion, and N. W. Niles, 1916 runner-up, met in the first round. The national junior and national boys championship singles continued today on the same courts.GRAND CIRCUIT MEETING
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—The \$5000 stake for 211 trotters was the feature event of the fourth day's card of the Grand Circuit meet at Belmont Park. This event was the chief attraction of the meeting and one of the best races of the season was looked for. Early in the race, Bonnie Del, Chicopee, American Girl and Empress of Russia are some of the stars to meet in this race. The stakes for 215 trotters and 206 pacers, both for \$2000 and the two year old trot, also for \$2000 completed the program.MISS HARRIS M. SETS
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